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Two White Men Wounded and the Hunted Man's Father Killed.

Gov. Vardaman and Troops Leave Scooba—Hoodlums in the Trouble.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SELMA (Ala.) Dec. 27.—At Nicholasville, Alexander Jones, a negro, after shooting another negro, barricaded himself in his house.

Leo Pope and Seeke Pope, white men, attempted to arrest Jones, and were shot, but not killed.

Then a body of white men besieged the house.

Jones's father tried to carry ammunition to him, and was shot dead.

Finally a negro, for a reward of $5, set fire to the house and Jones was burned to death.

BLOOD AT A CARNIVAL.
NEGRO SHOOTS THREE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MARLIN (Tex.) Dec. 27.—While about 2000 people were assembled on the public square last night to enjoy the carnival attractions, three pistol shots were fired in rapid succession, attended by deadly results.

A negro girl about 12 years old, was shot through the head and instantly killed.

A negro, Hunt Broddis, received fatal wounds [illegible]

A negro about 30 years of age, fled through the crowd, pistol in hand, shooting behind him as he ran, with the police in pursuit.

Walter Taylor, a policeman, was slightly wounded in the arm.

The negro has not been captured, but is said to be wounded.

The cause of the shooting is unknown.

KEMPER COUNTY RIOTS.
HOODLUMS AT THE BOTTOM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—That white men protected innocent negroes and that every effort is making by the whites to punish those "hoodlums" of their own race who were responsible for the Christmas riots in Kemper county, Miss., was the information in detailed accounts arriving early today from the little towns which were the scene of the bloodshed.

"A conference has been held," these dispatches say, "between the civil and military authorities, at which evidence was produced that will establish the identity of five white men of good families of the county who took part in the lynchings."

Dist.-Atty. Currie has made a public statement in which he says:

"I found upon investigation that the trouble was caused by a lot of hoodlums and outlaws who openly violated all laws of God and man and decency. The four men killed Christmas Day were not connected with the affair in any manner, and I am informed that the houses burned were occupied by negroes who were not even in sympathy with any of those who were connected with the outrages. These men will be captured, if it is in the power of the State of Mississippi to do so."

DEATH LIST TWELVE.

The dispatches say that the total death list is probably twelve. The mob element among the whites has mostly fled toward the Alabama State line, while negroes in terror have gathered at Scooba and Wahalak to place themselves under the protection of troops or of citizens.

The killing of a negro named Calvin Nicholson is reported as "one of the most brutal which has occurred since the days of reconstruction." Nicholson was a negro of the best class. While a posse was searching for a negro named Simpson, who had killed a deputy, they entered Nicholson's house and several persons began shooting at him.

Deputy Sheriff Alexander and two others rushed to the negro, shielding him with their bodies. They protected him until overpowered, after which he was shot and his house burned.

Dist.-Atty. Currie says he has fixed the blame for this murder on three men, and will arrest them, if they still are in the State.

TROOPS LEAVE SCOOBA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MERIDAN (Miss.) Dec. 27.—All the troops stationed at Scooba, the scene of the recent race troubles, returned this afternoon, in charge of Gov. Vardaman, who went there last night to take personal command. Returning military officials and others say that apprehension of further trouble is passed. There were no outbreaks today.

THROWN INTO STREET.
WOMAN ABUSED BY SOLDIER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

EL RENO (Okla.) Dec. 27.—Race feeling is at white heat and threats of lynching are heard on every side, as a result of an assault committed on Mrs. T. S. Clifford, wife of a prominent physician, this afternoon, by a colored soldier of the Twenty-fifth Infantry.

Mrs. Clifford and her sister, Mrs. S. H. Clarke, were attempting to pass the soldier, when he viciously grabbed Mrs. Clifford around the waist and threw her into the street, exclaiming that the sidewalks belonged him.

Mrs. Clarke screamed for assistance, and the assailant fled, escaping before help arrived.

News of the attack spread rapidly, and the entire police department, reinforced by several hundred men and boys, searched the town and surrounding country, but this evening the chase was given up, as the negro was in uniform, and must return to the post or soon become a deserter.

Word was sent to Fort Reno, and all absentees noted. Both Mrs. Clifford and her sister are positive they can identify the man, and will go to Fort Reno tomorrow and attempt to pick him out from the soldiers who were not at the post when the assault occurred.

SHOT FOUR NEGROES.
TWO WHITE MEN ASSAILED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MARIANA (Fla.) Dec. 27.—In a shooting affray at Delwood, a small town in the interior, Christmas night, two white men and four negroes were wounded, two of the latter seriously.

Early in the night, four negroes, brothers named Bell, entered the store of J. W. Nichols, and, being intoxicated, were ejected by Nichols. Later, Nichols, accompanied by a man named Dykes, started home. They were fired on by the negroes, and both slightly wounded.

They returned the fire, wounding all four of the negroes, two probably fatally.

PRESIDENT AT PINE KNOT.

Party Drives Over from North Garden in the Afternoon Without Meeting With Adventure.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHARLOTTESVILLE (Va.) Dec. 27.—The President and party arrived at Pine Knot at 5 o'clock this afternoon. The drive there from North Garden, which they reached on the train at 3:15 o'clock, was without special incident.

HIS MESSENGER HELD UP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The President and his entire family, with the exception of [illegible] together with several friends, left Washington at 11:25 o'clock this forenoon for Pine Knob, Mrs. Roosevelt's country home, for a holiday outing. They will return Monday night.

The party included Admiral P. I. Rixey, Surgeon-General of the navy; Mr. Latta, assistant secretary of the President, and Miss Langdon, a friend of Miss Ethel Roosevelt.

Upon reaching the train one of the President's sons found he had forgotten to bring his gun. A messenger was dispatched to get the firearm. He got to the White House, and was going at a speed prohibited, when the Metropolitan police overhauled him and threatened him with arrest, but he did not desist. Explaining his mission, he was allowed to proceed to the station.

The President, learning what had occurred, called an officer and explained that the matter would be settled when he returned to Washington.

PASSES BARKIS IN WILLINGNESS.

BRYAN SAYS HE OUGHT TO ACCEPT THIRD CHANCE.

According to Him It Is Duty of Every Citizen to Take Presidential Nomination and Then in Interview He Discusses Preliminaries and Intricacies of Campaign.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Dec. 22.—In an interview here today William J. Bryan practically admitted that he would be a candidate for the Presidential nomination before the next Democratic national convention.

"While I have not yet announced that I would be a candidate," said Bryan, "I have not stated that I would not be a candidate and do not intend to. Such a high honor as the Presidential nomination is something that no American citizen should decline."

Bryan declared that he had never stated that the President had stolen the thunder of the Democrats, although, he said, the President was now advocating many things favored by that party.

Bryan declared there was no foundation for the story that had been printed to the effect that he would, if nominated, favor the selection of Senator William Stone of Missouri as chairman of the Democratic National Committee.

"I have never told any one anything about the organization of the National Committee," he said. "I do not even know that I will be interested in it further than that I do not want to see men on the committee who are not good, clean men, who want a government for the people and not for the trusts. I do not care to see men on the committee like Roger Sullivan of Illinois."

In speaking of the railroad legislation enacted by Congress at its last session, he stated that he did not believe the legislation was what it should be, but he thinks that the President took what he could get. He said the giving of railroad passes was one of the most corrupting influences exercised in this country.

Bryan spoke before the Kansas State Teachers' Association here tonight.

UNREST IN ISLAND.

Cubans Continue to Be Alarmed.

Bands of Negroes Pillaging, Burning and Blackmailing in Santa Clara.

Rural Guards Helpless and the United States Troops Take Exercise.

Disorder in Other Provinces. Natives Wonder at Gov. Magoon.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HAVANA (Cuba) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The report that Gov. Magoon has made representations to Washington to the effect that there is no hope for permanent peace on the island unless the troops remain is causing a great stir here among the Liberals.

Gov. Magoon denies the report emphatically; says his words have been misconstrued, and explains the movement of 300 regulars to Santa Clara to be for exercise and the moral effect on the region of crowded workers on the sugar estates.

The truth is that this region is full of former members of the Liberal army who will not work. There is no direct trouble between the Moderates and Liberals, but the province is in a state of general social unrest.

BURNING AND PILLAGING.

Bands of negroes are pillaging, burning cane, blackmailing planters, and the Liberal leaders are trying to turn the conditions into a demand of the people for the appointment of a new Liberal Gov[illegible]

The disturbers are [illegible] from the Rural Guards [illegible] to put down.

The incident illustrates the widespread reign of disorder. It is not acute, but is reported from other provinces as well.

Gov. Magoon is apparently right in not attributing it to politics, and is suspected of thinking it due to "general cussedness." The Governor is a continual source of wonder to the Cubans.

ALL SAME THEATRICALS.

The Liberals, in the "orchestra chairs," applaud one moment and hiss the next; the Moderates in the galleries do not think much of the "show," and the Conservatives, or property owners, who stand up and pay for it all, wonder whether the play is to be comedy or tragedy. It seems to partake of the three.

Farce and comedy are chasing themselves upon the Cuban political stage. The play amuses and entertains, but grows stale, or rather, the audience grows impatient for the last act, in which it looks for sterner stuff.

LINKED RIVERS FURNISH POWER.

ENGINEERS EXPECT TO GENERATE MIGHTY FORCE.

By Gravity Canals Between Platte and Loup They Propose to Create Electric Current Equal to Strength of Two Hundred Thousand Horses for Use in Middle West.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Minor contracts have been let insuring the undertaking by the General Electric and Power Company of New York of a system of canals, harnessing the Platte and Loup rivers, furnishing, it is estimated, sufficient fall to enable the equalization of 200,000 horse power of electricity which it is planned to furnish power for electric light, power and interurban railway projects.

Surveyors have been working in the field, restaking the route and it is announced that work on the project will be taken up in the early spring. The length of the canals will be twenty-eight miles and it is estimated the approximate cost will be $4,000,000.

PAY FOR HOLIDAYS.

Chairman Shonts Makes an Announcement of Interest to Skilled Labor in the Canal Zone.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Chairman Shonts of the Isthmian Canal Commission today announced that the commission had decided to pay the employés on the isthmus whose compensation is fixed on an hourly basis for January 1, February 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and December 25.

The compensation for these employés will be on the basis of an eight-hour day.

They will accept pay for the holidays [illegible] canal zone, who number about 5000.

If such employés be required to work on these holidays, they will be paid time and a half in addition.

PERSIAN DEFIES GOVERNMENT.

TEHERAN, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Saaded Dowleh, late Persian Minister to Belgium, and brother of the Persian Minister to Washington, a member of the Medgellis, representing Resht and the same man who two evenings ago threw down the gauntlet to the President of the Assembly, said today:

"We have ample means of compelling the government to accede to our demands."

NEW TANGLES IN THE STREETER SCANDALS.

J. Hamilton Lewis and Others Are Mixed in Malodorous Case—Colonel Says He Was Tricked by Inventor's Friends—Others Get Involved.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A scandal enveloping the release of 17-year-old Margaret Burkle in the Juvenile Court—temporarily silenced through Judge Carpenter's failure to push contempt charges against Attorney C. Stuart Beattie, for having engineered the mysterious transaction—broke out anew today.

New names were dragged into the case—names that caused profound surprise. The "big politician in the City Hall," frequently referred to in the development of the complication, was disclosed as Col. James Hamilton Lewis, corporation counsel.

A judge, whose name has never hitherto been heard in connection with the case, also came in for unpleasant mention.

Another department head in the City Hall found himself embarrassed through the importunities of a saloonkeeper to accept a "retainer" to "square the Burkle case." The recipient of this offer, astounded at the suggestion of a fee, inasmuch as he is not a lawyer, spurned the proffer.

His visitor was named as Joseph Mayers, conducting the saloon under the notorious Cecil Hotel in Van Buren street, a counterpart of the Rensu, where Margaret Burkle was rescued from the grasp of A. L. Streeter, millionaire inventor, "rounder" and alleged bigamist.

At the time of the now famous midnight raid, both hotels were under the same management.

In the case of Col. Lewis, the unauthorized use of his name places him in an exceedingly unpleasant light, whereas he contends that his interest was due solely to an effort to trade "immunity" to Streeter in exchange for his services as a State's witness against the indicted hotel-keepers.

A woman, who posed as Streeter's Cleveland "wife," figures in the strange complications, as one of the aids by which the indicted millionaire hoped to secure practical immunity which would have resulted from the release of the Burkle girl.

The plan, as given by those involved in the matter, was that Streeter, who now is a fugitive in Canada, was to return to aid in prosecuting the "hotel" owners was to provide for the education of the girl he is accused of luring to Chicago, and of harboring in a dive; and also was to return to his "wife" and begin life anew.

It was asserted that the plan was abandoned when the scandal over the girl's abduction from the Juvenile court, after being paroled by Judge Carpenter, became public, because those who had agreed to it were convinced that they were being deceived.

Col. Lewis declared that he suspected he was being tricked, and discovered that there was no intention of bringing Streeter back to Chicago, but that it was a bold effort to free the man from the indictment charges.

Col. Lewis said today:

"The matter was sent to me by people whom I knew as reliable. A woman appeared who said she was Streeter's wife, and I understood that they had a boy. I was told that she was a good woman, and she told me if we allowed Streeter to return he would reform, also that he would furnish evidence necessary to prosecute the hotel man. I saw State's Attorney Healy, and he promised he would do anything that would assist the wife and child and make a good man of Streeter. I also advised young Muehrke, who claimed to be a relative of the girl, and arranged to retain Attorney Robert Redfield in Streeter's behalf.

"I afterward learned that these people interested in Streeter were not to keep faith, and that he was not to return to Chicago at all. I then was told that the woman who posed as one of his wives was not his wife."

RICKETT'S BIG SALARY.

New Superintendent of Greene-Cananea Copper Company Gets Over $50,000 a Year.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. L. D. Ricketts, who has just been elected superintendent of the Greene Cananea Company, left Boston this afternoon for the West and will meet en route Thomas F. Cole, John D. Ryan and other large stockholders of Greene Cananea.

Dr. Rickett officially has resigned as superintendent of the Old Dominion, but will retain his place as consulting engineer, also acting in the capacity of advisor with other concerns with which he recently was connected. He stated that the Cole-Ryan interests had to offer him over $50,000 annual salary to go to Cananea.

POPE RECEIVES OLD DEFENDERS.

REGRETS HE CANNOT AID THEM UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS.

Speaking to Survivors of Disbanded Pontifical Army Merry Del Val Says He Is Now Fighting Without Guns, Men or Money, But Trusts for Victory to Divine Providence.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ROME, Dec. 27.—The Pope today received the 517 survivors of the disbanded pontifical army for the exchange of Christmas greetings. The holy father thanked the men for their past services to the church and regretted that conditions do not permit him to aid the defenders of the papacy as he would like.

Subsequently the survivors were received by Cardinal Merry del Val, the papal secretary of state, who said to them:

"You fought with gun and cannon: today I am fighting one of the most important battles of the church without guns and without men and even without money. But I do not despair of victory. I trust in divine mercy and the loyalty of the French Catholics."

CZAR'S THRONE TO BE SHAKEN.

GERSCHUNIN SAYS SECRET PLOT [illegible]

Noted Russian Revolutionary Has Arrived in Boston—Majority of the Autocrat's Army in the Conspiracy—Denies Having Organized a Terrorist Society.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gregori Androjorvich Gerschunin, the noted Russian revolutionist and escaped Siberian exile and head of the revolutionary military operations, says that while the time is not ripe to unfold plans in detail, a secret plot has been completed to overthrow the Czar which will startle the world.

He says the majority of the Russian army is in the revolutionary plot, but the soldiers dare not openly assist until the time arrives to do so.

Gerschunin says he is bending all energies to prevent his people fighting as individuals, and that it is extremely difficult to restrain them. He denies that he organized a terrorist society in Chicago, on the way to San Francisco.

LOCKOUT AT LODZ.

Socialists Are Threatening to Organize Street Fights and Compel the Feeding of Unemployed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LODZ, Dec. 27.—In view of the lockout which, according to announcement will begin in all the principal factories here December 29, Socialists of Lodz are threatening to organize street fights and to compel citizens to feed and lodge the unemployed.

Many wealthy families already have left the city.

STILL ISSUES PASSES.

Boston and Maine Defies Republican Platform But would Welcome Law to Prevent Practice.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CONCORD (N. H.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Politicians are aghast today at the action of President Tuttle, of the Boston and Maine Railroad system, in defying the Republican party platform of last election by sending out 400 and odd annual passes over the Boston and Maine lines within the States, to Legislators, etc., and while giving the passes, he says he would not object to an anti-pass law.

ARICA IS HOMELESS.

Temblor Leaves no Building in Town Undamaged and Fire Is Narrowly Averted.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VALPARAISO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the city of Arica, shaken at 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning by a violent earthquake, lasting fifty-five seconds, no house was left undamaged.

The jail fell down, and the town hall and nearly all public and private buildings were rendered unhabitable.

Fire started in a grocery store, but was extinguished with considerable difficulty, because of lack of water.

Many persons were wounded or bruised, but no deaths are reported.

FINED VALIANT BISHOP.

NANCY (France) Dec. 27.—The Correctional Court here today fined Bishop Tetrinas $10 for striking a gendarme during his expulsion from the episcopal residence.

PRESSURE TOO HARD.

"Third Degree" a Cause of Crime.

Prof. James of Harvard Supports the Views of Prof. Munsterberg.

Says Ivens Was Probably in Semi-Hypnotic State in Police Hands.

Case of Two Brothers Who "Confessed" in Vermont Recalled.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON (Mass.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Contrary to published reports, Prof. Munsterberg of Harvard did not assert that Richard Ivens, the Chicagan hanged for murder, had been deliberately hypnotized or thrown into a hypnotic trance by the police officers or Coroner.

His statement in his published article was his belief that it was a case of dissociated personality and auto-suggestion, this coming from the hypnotic effect possibly, though not absolutely proven, of a flash of light across his optic nerves and the constant pressure of the police in their searching "third degree" examination.

That any deliberate attempt to hypnotize Ivens into confessing in elaborate manner to the murder is not charged, or even suggested, in Prof. Munsterberg's article, which does show, by analysis and comparison with other cases, how the "confession" may have been brought about from the lips of a man logically innocent, as reasoned out from all evidence at hand.

CONFESSION UNTRUE.

[illegible] ties, and especially [illegible] borderland cases, for [illegible] years, and have hypnotized a very large number of patients. On this basis, I feel sure that the so-called confessions of Ivens are untrue, and that he had nothing to do with the crime.

"It is an interesting and yet a rather clear case of dissociation and auto-suggestion. It would probably need careful treatment to build up his dissociated mind, and thus awaken in him a clear memory of his real experiences."

PROF. JAMES AGREES.

Prof. William James of Harvard, supports Prof. Munsterberg in the latter's views, saying:

"I incline to your view strongly. It is supported by all collateral facts. He was probably in a semi-hypnotic state from police treatment.

"In any case it is a foul scandal that he was not submitted to hypnotic examination by experts. It could hardly have failed to develop important results, and probably would have saved his life.

"I think him a victim of popular ignorance of morbid psychology."

TWO BROTHERS "CONFESSED."

The Springfield Republican in a lengthy article, today, cites among similar cases, one in Vermont, years ago, in Bennington county, where a man suddenly disappeared and two brothers with whom he was last seen were arrested and, amidst much popular clamor, induced to confess to his murder, going into full details of the shocking crime.

Through a chain of most remarkable bare chances the alleged "murdered man" was found alive in New Jersey, and brought back just in time to save his brothers from execution. He had gone away of his own free will.

ROYAL ENGAGEMENT.

Prince August Wilhelm Is to Wed Princess Victoria, Sister of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prince August Wilhelm of Prussia, fourth son of the Kaiser, was engaged today at Glucksburg to Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein, Sonderberg and Glucksburg, sister of the Duchess of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, daughter of the eldest sister of the Empress. Both Prince and Princess are in their twentieth year.

BIG GALE OFF HOLYHEAD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A terrific gale is raging tonight off Holyhead, and several vessels are reported in distress.

The Japanese liner Awa Maru, from Antwerp for Middlesborough, ran on the rocks off Red Car.

The lifeboats reached her after great difficulty, and, according to the latest reports, all of her crew of 120 men and the two passengers on board were landed safely.

LABOR.

ESPEE MOVES ITS FREIGHT.

Firemen's Strike Collapses in Miserable Fiasco.

Trains on Time Take All But Perishable Goods.

Even New Orleans Is Free From Trouble.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—Except for live stock and perishable goods the Southern Pacific Railroad local officials announced that the company today moved all its freight trains on the Louisiana division without difficulty. No attempt was made to handle the two excepted classes. The officials also said that the strike is no longer regarded as a serious inconvenience.

The Southern Pacific officials declare that the firemen's strike is virtually broken. All trains are arriving practically on time and freight is being accepted as usual.

RECEIVES ALL FREIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Local Southern Pacific officials claim that the Brotherhood of Firemen's strike on this division of this system is broken; that all freight and passenger trains are moving along with full crews; that they have more firemen than they have engineers. A striking fireman was arrested here today for entering an engineer's cab at the Southern Pacific station. The order issued Monday not to receive freight at this point has been rescinded.

NEW ORLEANS AFFIRMS VICTORY

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—According to General Superintendent E. B. Cushing, conditions on Southern Pacific lines in this territory are fast becoming normal. Today twenty-seven out of thirty scheduled trains were running nearly on time, the yards at Algiers have full forces of men and all engines are working. The only difficulty being experienced is at Lake Charles and Morgan City, where several new men will arrive this afternoon to take the places of the strikers. The Southern Pacific is now receiving all classes of freight except perishable goods, and will soon raise the embargo on that.

UNIONISTS ASSAULT WORKER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—George Goldreax, a Southern Pacific locomotive fireman, walked into Opelousas, La., today, after having been taken from his engine by masked men, twenty-two miles outside of town, and after having tramped the largest part of the night to reach town.

Four masked and armed men boarded the engine during a stop, and, despite the fact that Goldreax hid himself, they found and dragged him from the engine. No violence was offered to him and he was released as soon as his train was too far away to be overtaken.

Except for this incident, General Superintendent E. B. Cushing said that the firemen's strike had caused no serious trouble on this [illegible] of the Southern Pacific's Atlantic division. Two guards are carried on every engine, and all passenger and all local trains have moved nearly on time.

DODGES HIS DEFEAT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PEORIA (Ill.) Dec. 27.—J. J. Hanahan, grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, was shown the Associated Press dispatch from El Paso relating to the officials of the Southern Pacific, who had declared that the strike had been broken. He said:

"There is not one iota of truth in that statement, and besides our basis of operation is at Houston. I must wait further developments before making any further statement on this point."

PENSIONS FOR SANTA FE MEN.

ROAD ADOPTS LIBERAL PLAN OF AIDING EMPLOYEES.

Continuous Service for Fifteen Years With Company Is the Only Requisite for Bonus, Graded to Favor People on Small Salaries Rather Than High-class Men.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The hearts of more than 30,000 employés of the entire Santa Fé system will be gladdened on New Year's Day by the inauguration of a pension system. Official announcement was made today that the road would on January 1, join the ranks of railroads which have adopted a paternal policy with respect to employés.

The system which will be put in vogue is in several respects more liberal than any system now in force. Main points in which the Santa Fé plan is more liberal than others are:

Minimum pension of $30; fixing of age at which compulsory retirement is provided for at 75 instead of 65 years; no bar is placed to age at which the railroad company will hire an employé originally; continuous service of fifteen years with the company is all that is required to entitle an employé to a pension; pension rate is so graded that small salaried employés get the best of the bargain and high salaried men cannot secure more than $75 per month.

WITHHOLD STRIKE VOTE.

RESULT IS EXPECTED TODAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—The result of the referendum vote of the conductors of the Mexican Central and its branches in Mexico on the proposition to strike on January 1, unless their demand for an increase of wages be granted, has not been announced. The conductors running into El Paso or Juarez will not discuss the matter. The result may be announced tomorrow.

LABOR BRIEFS.

Tonopah Restaurants Close.

TONOPAH (Nev.) Dec. 27.—The restaurants of this city are still closed as a result of a strike of cooks and waiters. The men demand a change in hours, which the proprietors declare is impossible to grant. Some inconvenience, but no hardship, has resulted from the strike as many boarding-houses and private dining rooms are running.

States Can Ignore Labor Law.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington says, as was anticipated, the decision by Secretary Strauss of the Department of Commerce and Labor that States acting for themselves are not bound by the contract-labor law, has aroused more or less of a storm of protest from labor bodies and from some other people. In almost every case, however, there is a distinct misunderstanding of the existing law as well as to the scope of the decision of the solicitor of the department, which was approved by the Secretary.

Raise Pay on "Big Four."

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27.—Beginning January 1, the pay of all firemen on the "Big Four" system will be increased at an average raise of 7.77 per cent.

IGNORE RECORD IN RE-ELECTION.

DIRECTORS GIVE PRESIDENCY TO ACCUSED MAN.

Burnham Is Chosen President of Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company in Spite of Fact That He Is Waiting Sentence Under Charges of Larceny from Concern.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—After a discussion lasting over two hours, the directors of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company elected Frederick Burnhan, President, and George D. Aldredge, Vice-President of the company. Nine of the twelve directors were present and the vote on the election of Burnham and Eldredge is said to have been very close. None of the directors would discuss the meeting. George R. Harper, son of the former president of the company, was not re-elected treasurer.

FREDERICK A. BURNHAM, elected president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Burnham and Eldredge are both under indictment and Burnham is awaiting sentence in connection with the administration of the company's affairs.

INDICTS INSURANCE MEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—It was reported tonight that the grand jury today voted indictments against two men as a result of the insurance inquiry. It was rumored that forgery in the third degree would be charged. Those in a position to confirm these reports refuse to discuss them.

DROWNED IN AIR HOLE.

Three Men Meet Death While Attempting to Ford the Missouri River.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NORFOLK (Neb.) Dec. 27.—Three men were drowned in the Missouri River north of here on the State line today. Herbert Cushman, aged 60; Ed Slate, aged 28, and Daniel Slate, aged 22, are their names. They were driving across the river and dropped into an air hole. Their team was lost.

ANSWERS IN ONE PAGE.

Oil Companies Make Curt Return to Ouster Suits Instituted in State of Ohio.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LIMA (O.) Dec. 27.—In one brief typewritten page, the three oil companies against which Atty.-Gen. Ellis filed ouster suits here recently made answer today, acknowledging that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey owns all but five shares of the capital stock of the Buckeye Pipe Line Company, the Solar Refining Company and the Ohio Oil Company. Wherefore each company asks that the action be dismissed as to them.

TO INVESTIGATE RIOTS.

BROWNSVILLE (Tex.) Dec. 27.—M. D. Purdy, assistant United States attorney, accompanied by Maj. Augustus P. Blocksom of the Inspector-General's department, and W. W. Merchell, confidential law clerk to Secretary Taft, arrived here last night to investigate the rioting of negro soldiers here last August. Only four witnesses were examined today, and it will probably require several weeks to complete the inquiry. The examination is conducted privately.

TURKEY IS CONSUMPTIVE.

Discovery Is Made When Bird Is Dressed for Dinner, Coroner Ascertains Disease.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Dr. Whalen of the Chicago Health Department, has ordered an investigation following the discovery that a turkey intended to grace a Christmas dinner was in the last stages of consumption.

J. Inwood had purchased a live turkey on Christmas Eve from Charles Klohr, a butcher. The gobbler was fat and apparently in good health, but when killed peculiar white spots were found on the heart and liver. Inwood held a conference with the butcher, who refused to take the dead turkey back. Then the matter was taken up with the Health Department.

Drs. Whalen and Biehn of the city laboratory held an autopsy over the diseased organs and reported the fowl was in the last stages of consumption. Efforts are now being made to discover the farm from which the turkey came, as it is believed that others may be similarly affected.

FRANK G. CARPENTER has just begun a journey of 25,000 miles through Africa. He will describe this journey in his weekly letters to The Los Angeles Times Magazine during the coming year. He has written an outline of his plans for the magazine of the coming Sunday. No one should fail to read it.

Let us tell you our plans for "Beautiful Palms, overlooking the city and the sea." Palms Land, Light and Water Co., 410-11 Delta Bldg., 457 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

JAPAN PLANS LARGE ARMY.

TO SPEND $23,500,000 MORE THAN LAST YEAR.

One Hundred Million Dollars to Be Appropriated for New Ships and Restoration of Present Fleet—Popular Clamor Is for Togo to Command, But Opposition Has Arisen.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Dec. 26.—According to advices brought here by the steamer Tosa Maru, the military section of the Japanese government intends to increase the army until the standing forces number nineteen divisions, six more than before the war with Russia.

The programme calls for increases in naval equipments by an expenditure of $23,500,000 over last year.

It has also been agreed that $100,000,000 be appropriated in installments as a special expenditure for new ships and restoration of the present fleet and armaments to an efficient state.

An appropriation of $400,000 to defray the expenses of dispatching a squadron including the cruisers Tsukuba and Chitose to the United States next summer, has been asked.

It is undecided yet whether Admiral Togo will be in command of the squadron. There is some opposition in naval quarters to that course, but popular clamor may prevail, in which case the naval hero will be the feature of a Japanese demonstration in American waters.

PREDICTS FINANCIAL CRASH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VICTORIA, Dec. 26.—In a recent interview, Baron Shebusawa, a prominent Japanese economist, predicts a financial panic in Japan as a result of the reaction of the war, which has just begun to be felt. He said bankers were responsible for stimulating a mania for promotion of new undertakings, which had now reached fever heat, and had no outlet, and would be bound to succumb when support is withdrawn. He suggested that, in order to prevent forthcoming panic or reduce it to a minimum, the currency be contracted, so far as possible, and treasury bills to the amount of $25,000,000 be issued. While this is considered burdening, it is the only course to avert disaster and crashes when reaction comes.

JAPANESE SUIT PENDING.

TO TEST EXCLUSION LAWS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The Japanese viscount, Aoki was among the Secretary of State's callers, and it is assumed that the matter of legal proceedings is to be instituted in California in connection with the status of Japanese children in the public schools of San Francisco, under the existing treaty, although no formal statement could be obtained.

The Department of Justice has had before it, from time to time, the papers bearing on the suit, which will be filed in the Supreme Court of California. The case will go before the court on an agreed statement of facts, and it is expected that the court will give a speedy decision.

The delay in filing the case has been due to the fact that the Attorney General has not yet completed the government's contention.

DEVLIN IN WASHINGTON.

REFUSES TO STATE MISSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—United States Dist.-Atty. Robert T. Devlin, of San Francisco, who was called to Washington by Atty.-Gen. Bonaparte for a conference regarding the exclusion of Japanese pupils from the public schools of San Francisco, arrived tonight, and will be at the Department of Justice tomorrow. Devlin refused to discuss his mission, declaring that the matter is in the hands of the Attorney General.

"Two weeks ago I had a conference with the San Francisco Board of Education at the request of Atty.-Gen. Moody," he said, "when a statement of facts was agreed upon and forwarded to the Attorney General. A few days later, I was called to Washington, and I do not know officially that I am here to discuss the Japanese question."

PERMANENT PEACE CONGRESS.

Plan Is to Give Hague Tribunal Advisory Power With Nations and Right to Arbitrate.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—At a meeting of the Board of Trade and Transportation, held today, resolutions were adopted asking President Roosevelt to instruct the United States delegates to The Hague conference in 1907 to urge favorable consideration of the following:

A plan by which The Hague conference may become a permanent congress of the nations, with advisory powers; a general arbitration authority for the acceptance of all nations; a plan for the restriction of armaments, and, if possible, for their reduction by concurrent international action.

GRAND DUKE'S NAVAL GRAB.

Efforts With Influential Backing to Compel Inquiry Into the Scandals Affecting Warships.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—With the trials of Admiral Rojestvensky and Nebogatoff out of the way, an effort is being made with influential backing to compel the authorities to make inquiry into the naval scandals of the Grand Ducal régime, to which the defeat of the Russians at the battle of the Sea of Japan are largely attributed.

The Journal de St. Petersburg, which is ministerially supported, in a leading article today demands an investigation of the charges of corruption brought against officials and of dishonesty in providing warships with defective armor, guns and projectiles, which the defense vainly endeavored to introduce at the courts-martial of the two admirals.

CHINA WILL APPEAL.

To Ask Europe and America for $1,250,000 for Relief for Her Famine Sufferers.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Dec. 27.—Advices were received today by the steamship Tosa Maru that China has decided to appeal to Europe and America for $1,250,000 for relief of famine sufferers in Central China, where 10,000,000 Chinese are faced with starvation this winter.

People maddened by hunger are reported to be pillaging yamens of officials. A foreigner, who has reached Shanghai from the famine-stricken district, says men and women, naked, except a few rags around their loins, are seen by the roadsides starving with naked children at their breasts. Refugees were met who had tramped from Huan. The famine threatens to equal the appalling one of thirty years ago.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The northern snow storm has scattered, the high winds, subsided, and the temperature is advancing. The temperature locally was close to 36 degs. For the day, the minimum was 35 degs., the maximum 38 degs. A misty rain fell during the morning and early afternoon. Middle West temperatures. The dash indicating below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	30	24
Bismarck	34	—6
Cairo	52	38
Cheyenne	50	34
Cincinnati	40	30
Cleveland	34	26
Concordia	36	26
Davenport	34	32
Denver	58	28
Des Moines	32	22
Detroit	38	28
Devils Lake	22	—12
Dodge City	36	28
Dubuque	30	28
Duluth	14	2
Escanaba	26	22
Grand Rapids	36	28
Green Bay	26	24
Helena	44	16
Huron	34	10
Indianapolis	38	32
Kansas City	36	34
Marquette	28	22
Memphis	58	40
Milwaukee	32	30
North Platte	44	26
Omaha	34	22
Rapid City	44	20
St. Louis	44	36
St. Paul	22	0
Sault Ste. Marie	24	22
Springfield, Ill.	40	34
Springfield, Mo.	58	42
Wichita	40	32

GROWTH OF "OPEN SHOP."

The annual report of the Chicago Employers' Association, made public today shows a marked increase in the business done by the organization in procuring positions for all classes of "open shop" labor during the year ending November 1. The average business done by the employment bureau of the association shows an increase in four classes of labor of 92 per cent. Damage suits to the amount of $20,000 were successfully defended by the association, one being the case of a foreman of a large establishment who was made defendant by the International Association of Machinists for the killing of a picket, the other being the case of a prominent employer sued by a union for malicious prosecution.

HIS FATHER'S REVOLVER.

With the same revolver which his father used to end his life, thirteen years ago, when domestic troubles overburdened him, Emil Breitenfeld, a grocer, of North Point avenue, this afternoon fired three shots at his wife, all of which took effect, leaving her in serious condition. He then turned the weapon upon himself, inflicting a slight scalp wound. Breitenfeld's attempt at murder and suicide followed, it is said, long-continued family dissensions.

COULD CONDEMN LABORITES.

Assistant State Attorney Miller today made the assertion in an argument during the Shea conspiracy hearing that, on evidence contained in the records of the federation, he could send every member of the Chicago Federation of Labor to the penitentiary on a conspiracy charge. He also announced that a recent Supreme Court decision in the Franklin Union No. 4 case will be used by the State in securing the conviction of the defendants in the Shea prosecution.

WHAT BRYAN COST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When the election expenses of the Democratic County Committee were filed here today, it was discovered that the visit of William J. Bryan to Milwaukee for one hour, last September, cost the committee exactly $200. Bryan took the wrong train at Chicago, and was carried to Milwaukee in a special train.

HURON RIVER PLATINUM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NORWALK (O.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Milan, the birthplace of Thomas A. Edison, the electrical wizard, is greatly excited over the finding of large quantities of platinum in the Huron River at that point. Specimens of mineral products taken from the river bed were recently shown to Edison, who said the discovery would make the finders millionaires.

HUGE CAKE FOR POOR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William Meyer today presented to the Associated Charities a huge cake, which will be cut and distributed among the city's poor. The cake is ten feet long and of the same width. It is called "stollen" by the Germans, and is filled with innumerable raisins and almonds.

HER MOTHER FOUND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STERLING (Ill.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. William Fellton, who was stolen from her mother in infancy, left today for St. Louis, where her mother has been located.

COTTON MEN CLAIM SOUTH IS "CHEATED."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS (La.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cotton men of Louisiana and Mississippi are up in arms over the action of the New York Cotton Exchange in "rigging the market" so as to arbitrarily depress the prices of cotton, and in other ways depriving the South of its just rewards.

It is estimated by cotton factors here that the New York exchange has already "cheated the South" out of $100,000,000.

This is done by a committee of seventeen arbitrarily fixing the difference between grades of cotton.

The market price of the grade is given no consideration whatever.

The December contracts, which ought to be spot cotton on December 20, were 137 points below middling spot prices in the New York market.

A big meeting of cotton men has been called by Atwood Villett to take a hand in this discrimination against southern cotton interests.

An appeal will be made to the New York exchange to right the wrong. If that fails, an appeal will be made to Congress to pass stringent laws regulating this manipulation.

SYMPATHY FOR SUFFRAGISTS.

Letter from Philadelphia Women to Officers and Members of the English Social Union.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—The National Women's Suffrage Association, sent a letter to the officers and members of the Women's Political and Social Union of England, expressing cordial sympathy in the efforts of the English suffragists to secure a hearing from Parliament on the question of woman suffragists and admiration of their earnestness and self-sacrifice.

OBITUARY.

Walter Appleton Clark.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Walter Appleton Clark, the well-known artist and illustrator, died early today at this city. Clark was 31 year old. He was born in Worcester, Mass., in 1886. He was connected with Scribner's Magazine.

Mrs. Plunkett.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Plunkett, the famous woman reformed and author of many books, and known as the "sanitary reformer," is dead in this city.

Superb Routes of Travel.

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND—
HOTEL METROPOLE
Now open on the European Plan with Cafe in connection. Rooms $1.00 per day and up.
STEAMER MAKES ROUND TRIP DAILY
TWO BOATS SATURDAY. GRAND ILLUMINATION AND ERUPTION OF SUGAR LOAF SATURDAY EVENING.
See railway time cards for steamer connection.
BANNING CO., Pacific Electric Bldg., Los Angeles. Both Phones 28.

GLASS BOTTOM BOAT TICKETS—
For Seal Rock, on Sale at Pacific Tours Co.
HUNTINGTON BUILDING, GROUND FLOOR, SECOND OFFICE ON RIGHT. METEOR BOAT COMPANY.

FOR THE—
Tournament of Roses
We will have cars from Sixth and Main streets every two minutes for Pasadena's Festival of Flowers.
Special Through Cars From All Terminals
The Pacific Electric Railway

SAILING FOR SAN FRANCISCO, SEATTLE—
And All Points in the Northwest. Large, Elegant Steamers.
Santa Rosa and State of California
Leave Los Angeles 10 a.m. Wednesdays and Sundays.
For SAN DIEGO Leave Redondo 10:30 p.m. Mondays and Fridays. RATES ALWAYS THE LOWEST AND INCLUDE BERTH AND MEALS. For full particulars call or address City Ticket Office, 253 South Spring St. Both phones 47. H. BRANDT, D. P. A. C. D. DUNANN, G. P. A., San Francisco.

THE NORTH PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO.'S—
Two Fine Passenger Steamship ROANOKE will sail from the Company's dock at SAN PEDRO on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27th, at 7 p.m. for PORTLAND, (Ore.) calling at SAN FRANCISCO, EUREKA and ASTORIA. Call at Company's Office, 230 South Spring Street, for reservations and special rates.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments.

BELASCO THEATER—BELASCO, MAYER & CO., Proprietors. PHONES—Main 2360; Home A1847.
TONIGHT—MATINEE TOMORROW—The Big Belasco Laughing Success
MY FRIEND FROM INDIA
PRICES—Nights, 25c to 75c; matinee tomorrow 25c to 50c.
Next Week—Special Matinee New Year's Day
The Belasco Stock Company will present Joseph Jefferson's own version of
RIP VAN WINKLE
With GEORGE W. BARNUM as Rip
This is not a two weeks' New York failure, but a world famous sterling success. Nobody can afford to miss this fine performance.
SEATS NOW ON SALE for "Rip Van Winkle."

MASON OPERAHOUSE—H. C. WYATT, Lessee and Manager.
WEEK STARTING MONDAY, DEC. 31ST.
OLGA NETHERSOLE'S Repertoire
Mon. Eve. ..... Sapho
Tues. Mat. ..... Sapho
Tues. Eve. THE SECOND MRS. TANQUERAY
Wed. Eve. ..... ADRIENNE LECOUVREUR
Thurs. Eve. ..... CAMILLE
Fri. Eve. ..... THE LAST OF THE DE MILLIONS
Sat. Mat. ..... CAMILLE
Sat. Eve. ..... SAPHO
PRICES, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00. Matinee Performances Begin at 2 P.M. Evening Performances Begin at 8 P.M. Sharp.

THE AUDITORIUM—SPARKS M. BERRY, Manager. "Theater Beautiful." FIFTH AND OLIVE STS.
TONIGHT AND BALANCE OF THE WEEK—WITH SATURDAY MATINEE
The FERRIS STOCK COMPANY and MISS FLORENCE STONE, in—
"THE GREAT RUBY"
250 People. Night Prices 10c, 25c, 35c and 50c. Matinee 10c and 25c. Phone
All Phone orders promptly attended to.
NEXT WEEK—A Beautiful Production of the World Famous Novel by "MRS. STARK," or Love Behind the Throne.

MASON OPERAHOUSE—H. C. WYATT, Lessee and Manager.
TONIGHT, MATINEE TOMORROW, AND TOMORROW NIGHT ONLY
CHANCES TO SEE MISS MAXINE ELLIOTT IN THE CLEVER FITCH COMEDY
"HER GREAT MATCH"
Direction of George J. Appleton. Seats now on sale. Prices 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.

MOROSCO'S BURBANK THEATRE SIXTH AND MAIN. PHONE M. 1070.
PACKING THEM AT EVERY PERFORMANCE. THE BIGGEST HIT IN TOWN. TONIGHT—ONLY FIVE MORE BIG PERFORMANCES.
"UNDER TWO FLAGS"
As played by Blanche Bates. See the daring horseback ride. See the big cast. Everybody in cast.
NEXT WEEK'S GREATEST AND BEST PLAY,
"THE JUDGE AND THE JURY"
By H. D. Cottrell and Oliver Morosco. Wm. Desmond in his old role. Special scenic effects of Mace Greenleaf as "Lester Greenway," and Mary Van Buren as "Sadie." Maude Gilbert as "Maquita." Oh! My, but it's going to be a smashing success, as there won't be any advance in prices. The Burbank is accustomed to offering the best shows for a half dollar.
Special Matinee New Year's Day.

ORPHEUM THEATER—SPRING ST., Between Second and Third. BOTH PHONES—1447.
Modern Vaudeville
JULIUS STEGER and Company in "The Fifth Commandment"; THE THREE LORDONS, old-time minstrels; KATHERINE NUGENT, impersonations; MLLE. DAZIE, her dancers; CHAS. BERRIA, equilibrist; BELLMAN & MOORE, "A Bit of Nonsense"; KOCHLY BROTHERS, acrobats; ORPHEUM MOTION PICTURES. The Great LUKENS, aerialists.
Matinees daily except Monday. Evenings—10c, 25c, 50c and 75c.

GRAND OPERAHOUSE—MAIN ST., Between First and Second. PHONES—Main 1070. HOME A 1070. THE FAMILY HOUSE.
THE GREAT SUCCESS—
"UNDER SOUTHERN SKIES"
BY LOTTIE BLAIR PARKER.
Matinees Sunday, Tuesday and Saturday, 10c and 25c. Evenings, 10c, 25c, 50c.
NEXT WEEK—"BUSTER BROWN."

LONG BEACH AUDITORIUM—
. . . TONIGHT . . .
Handel's "Messiah"
LONG BEACH PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY
ASSISTED BY
THE APOLLO CLUB OF LOS ANGELES
MRS. CATHERINE COLLETTE, Soprano. MR. ERNEST [illegible]
MR. ELIZABETH A. FONDA, Contralto. MR. CHARLES [illegible]
MISS SHOWALTER, Organist.
Full Orchestra—Chorus Two Hundred Voices
HENRY SCHOENFELD, Director.
POPULAR PRICES

PEOPLE'S THEATER—525 South Main St.
WEEK STARTING WITH SUNDAY MATINEE DECEMBER 31
TWENTY-ROUND BOXING CONTEST
TOMMY BURNS vs. JACK O'BRIEN
JAMES J. JEFFRIES, Referee
AS SHOWN BY THE MILES BROS. MOTION PICTURES. MATINEE PRICES, 25 AND 50 CENTS.

CHUTES PARK—LEHIGH INVESTMENT COMPANY. Admission
MIDWINTER CARNIVAL NOW GOING ON
Free Vaudeville, Free Moving Pictures, Free Zoo, Free Aviary, Free Music, Free Rides on Merry-Go-Round, Chutes and Miniature Railway. Performances afternoon and evening.
Sunday's Additional Free Attraction
Balloon Ascension and Parachute Jump
(Orders for Five Silverwood Hats to be distributed by Prof. Russell while making daring ascension.)
CHUTES MILITARY BAND CONCERTS
ANNOUNCEMENT:—POULTRY SHOW COMMENCES MONDAY, DEC. 31st. SHOW COMMENCES THURSDAY, JAN. 17TH, 1907.

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Teachers Discuss Phra... Child Studies.

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SPECIAL TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
FRESNO, Dec. 27.—The State Teachers' Association has come do... practical business of the... here.

The auditorium of the Barton... was filled this morning... addresses and interested persons t... discussions on proposed l... to school work. E. M. ... Ross opened the discussi... offer out necessary changes ... primary school curriculum ... study of history, more fav... the child's development and ... time preparatory for the ...

The subject was further take... E. Jones of the State N... dealt with regard to mathem... insist that too much mathem... in the public school... claiming that only the simple bra... taught after the pupil has ... school three terms.

E. C. James of Berkeley advo... plan two years ago and r... opposition and was declar... fail. He insisted that the ... the book on arithmetic demand... study.

Various other branches of the ... were met in the High School b... and carried out their program... taking advantage of the pres... to educationists, a meeting ... called for Saturday morning ... the work of the Parlor ... Club of this city for the se... work among the foreign-... Also this to be made a pot... educational work of the S... the proposed incorporation ... Teachers' Association.

PRONOUNCES UNIONISM.

State President Van Llew in his ... address before the State Tea... Association today strongly c... the organization of teach... trade-union principles. ... he said, "of a federation ... of teachers on lines, princip... embodies similar to those wh... now in vogue with the la... labor is wrong and prosecuted ... crime. It may be in a measu... already been successful, b... to bother glory nor honor."

Speaking of the low wages p... here, President Van Llew sa... greatest though not the on... due to the financial recognition ... teacher has always been the sho... service of the cheap teacher. ... inadequate salaries have been tardy, ... largely because we have not y... been able to throw on the ... public of cheapness nor get rid of t... among our number."

The annual election resulted in t... choice of the following: Presider... Homer Dalley, president of t... State Normal; first vice-presiden... Director of San Francisco; secon... vice-president, C. E. Keep of Oa... land; treasurer, Fred T. Moore of A... secretary, Mrs. M. M. Fitz... assistant secretary, Robert ... of San José; railroad secretary ... Bartell of San Francisco. ... next convention will be held ... Sacramento.

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SEATTLE, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dis... patch.] Hopkins Hughes, a 75-year-... farmer of Livermore, Cal., is four... overdue on the trip from his home ... Seattle, to claim the body of his ... brother, Mrs. A. J. Banks. ... telegrams from undertakers show... that Hopkins started for Seattle a ... few days ago. He has not been heard ... from since, and the undertakers are ... worried. He is said to be in feeble ...

TO TAX RAILWAYS.

STATE COMMISSION'S PLAN.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE TIMES.
OLYMPIA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dis... patch.] Taxation of railways and all ... other public service corporations will ... be urged by the State Tax Commission ... upon the coming Legislature. ... The total of taxes for all State pur... poses, excepting schools amounted to ... $1,500,000. Taxes paid by railways was ... $1,000,000. The entire State government ... could well be supported without resort ... to taxation for State purposes. ... Oregon has adopted a similar plan, ... the railways for State purposes ...

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LITTLE RAIN UP NORTH.

Large Part of the State Has Nevertheless Received Good Soaking.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE TIMES.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Very little rain fell during the last twenty-four in Northern California, and the Signal Service predicts for tomorrow cloudy weather, with wind changing to the north.

Rain in the season to date, Red Bluff has had 9.24 inches; Sacramento, 8.20; San Francisco, 6.42, and San José, 6.42.

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SEATTLE, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The First Methodist Church will have to abandon its building Sunday night. The regrade of Third avenue has cut away the street in front and worshipers can no longer get into the structure comfortably.

The pastor, Rev. W. H. W. Bees, will preach his final sermon on "The biggest fool in Seattle." An intimation has been given that the minister has in mind real estate speculators. The congregation, fifty-three years old, is the oldest in the city.

UNION IGNORES STATE PRODUCT.

PAYS FREIGHT FOR MATERIALS CLOSE AT HAND.

Mineralogist Aubrey Wants to Know Why Government Orders Stone and Other Things for Use in California from Foreign Countries When Better Is Ready at Home.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—State Mineralogist W. L. Aubrey wrote to Gov. Pardee a few days ago complaining of the practice of the United States government in sending to foreign countries and to other States for building material to be used in the construction of Federal buildings in California. He states the authorities have made it a practice to purchase stone and such like materials in other States when the articles could just as well have been bought here. He asked the Governor to interest himself in the matter.

The Governor has done so to the extent of writing to the California Representatives in Congress asking them to take the subject up and to use every effort to see that California products are used when government buildings are erected in this State.

PROTECTION LEVEES BREAK. DYNAMITERS ARE SUSPECTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 27.—Yuba Protection District was partly flooded today on account of two breaks in the southern levee along Simmerly Slough and great difficulty was experienced in saving stock on Rubel place. Two explosions occurred in the vicinity of the breaks at 5 o'clock this morning, and the property owners in the district believe that dynamite was used to destroy the levee. The district was formed a few months ago, and levees are new, but the one that went out was solid, and considered the strongest of any around the district.

CYRUS F. GILLETT DEAD. FATHER OF NEXT GOVERNOR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

EUREKA, Dec. 27.—Cyrus F. Gillett, father of Governor-elect Gillett, died yesterday as the result of a paralytic stroke following a severe shock a year ago. All of his children were present at the death bed.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

One More Interurban Victim.

TACOMA (Wash.) Dec. 27.—William Guion of Seattle, the motorman who was injured in yesterday's collision on the Interurban electric road, died this morning.

Governor Appoints Directors.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—Gov. Pardee this afternoon appointed O. A. Hale of San José and Edward White of Watsonville members of the Agnews State Hospital Board.

Dies at San Jose Hotel.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 27.—José M. Imbro, an Austrian, who has resided here several years, was found dead in the National Hotel this morning, doubtless from natural causes.

Will Is Settled Amicably.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—The contest over the will of the late John R. Hite has been settled amicably out of court and the case was yesterday withdrawn from the calendar.

Redding Gets Copious Rain.

REDDING, Dec. 27.—The rainstorm continues. The creeks and rivers are rising in every direction and traffic is delayed. At 7 o'clock this morning the rainfall for the season amounted to 9.57 inches, compared with 3.56 on the same date last year.

Landslide Buries Japanese.

SALINAS, Dec. 27.—Six Japanese were buried by a landslide last night at the Monterey Lime Company's kilns located at Post, thirty miles down. All were uninjured except S. Matte, whose skull was fractured. The slide was caused by rain loosening the soil.

Three Go to Asylum.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 27.—Seven persons were examined in the Superior Court today on the suspicion of insanity, and three of them were committed to the asylum at Stockton, A. H. Soderstrom, Eugene Jacataut and William Crowley. Crowley threatened that when he "got out" he would kill everybody who had anything to do with his arrest and commitment.

Establishes Another Wireless.

VALLEJO, Dec. 27.—Master Electrician George Hanscom of the Mare Island Navy Yard, with five of his assistants, left today for Ilwaco, Wash., to establish a wireless telegraph plant at North Head. This will be completed in a month, when another station will be fitted out at Cape Blanco, 200 miles south of Ilwaco, completing the chain of government wireless stations on the Pacific Coast.

Denounces Igorrote Shows.

BERKELEY, Dec. 27.—The Filipino students of the State University have united in an attempt to suppress the exhibition of Igorrotes in various expositions in this country, declaring through their magazine, which is published at the university, that such exhibitions are an injustice to the Filipinos and that the coining of money through such exhibitions is unworthy of those who claim to be interested in the welfare of the islanders.

Court Dismisses Land Cases.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—The cases of the United States against the Southern Pacific Company and against Mark W. Quirk for illegal possession of government lands in Mariposa and Placer counties were dismissed yesterday in the United States Circuit Court on motion of Assistant United States Attorney George Clark. The suits were filed many years ago and the defendants had settled with the government by paying the value of the lands.

Boys' Trick Darkens Town.

MODESTO, Dec. 27.—The town is in darkness and all power plants depending upon electricity are at a standstill. Boys threw a wire over the electric power wires and this blew out all the transformers in town. The damage is considerable.

Maj. Taggart Returns.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Maj. E. F. Taggart, whose divorce case was an affair of national interest, returned from the Philippines today on the transport Sherman. He came home on sick leave and is a patient at the Presidio Hospital. Taggart has been stationed at Leyte, where he was in command of two regiments. He was attacked by dysentery, and compelled to go for treatment to Manila. The physicians there ordered him home.

Hero Joins Regiment.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Col. J. W. Duncan of the Sixth Infantry, who was in command of the troops at the famous assault and capture of the Mount Dajo crater on the Island of Jolo, March 5 to 9 last, returned to this country today on the transport Sherman from Manila. He is accompanied by Maj. B. W. Atkinson, who was his adjutant in the crater fight. Col. Duncan is en route to join his regiment, now at Helena, Mont.

OPERATORS DON'T WEAKEN.

Closed Door Meeting at Goldfield at Which Wage Scale and Terms Are Discussed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GOLDFIELD (Nev.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A committee composed of members of the I.W.W. waited in the office of the secretary of the local miners' union for several hours tonight momentarily expecting to receive a communication stating the terms on which the mine operators would settle the wage dispute. While this committee waited twenty mine operators were gathered in an office on the same street discussing as to the drawing of a new wage scale and terms of settlement.

For six hours the operators talked over the points of difference and finally adjourned without coming to any understanding. It was 11 o'clock when the operators' meeting broke up and a few minutes later the miners left disappointed.

The operators and Executive Committee of the union held their meetings behind closed doors and there was much speculation over the outcome of both assemblies. Last night a self-delegated committee took in charge a miner who openly criticized the I.W.W., and after taking him into the miners' union hall and lecturing him on the policy of the I.W.W. and the purpose of its organization, marched him to the edge of town.

The name of the deported miner will not be divulged, but it is said the identity of the persons who walked him out of town is known and it is probable that prosecution will be instituted.

The situation remains practically the same as yesterday, but a settlement appears probable within the next few days.

Today the local miners' union received the following message from Denver:

"Federation will support Goldfield Miners' Union in their demands for better conditions.

[Signed] "JAMES KIRWIN.

"Acting president with W.F.M."

This will have no immediate effect on the situation.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

Meeting of Representatives of Various Interests Affected by the Colorado River Break.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

IMPERIAL, Dec. 27.—At an all-day conference, today, between W. J. Doran of the California Development Company, R. H. Ingram, Superintendent of the Southern Pacific Company, and the directors of the six mutual water companies, the latter agreed to send five hundred horses and drivers at their own expense, to work on the break in the Colorado River.

The matter of contributing a half million dollars to aid in the closure could not be closed up without being ratified by the stock-holders at the annual metings early in January. The water companies appointed a committee of five to confer with the California Development Company and Southern Pacific, with a view to the water users acquiring the irrigation system now owned by the California Development Company, which now seems in a fair way to be accomplished on a basis of long term bonds, the purchase to follow the repair in the break of the river.

STOCK YARDS FLOURISH.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Figures on the business transacted at the Union Stock Yards for 1906 show the valuation of live stock handled to be the largest on record. The receipts for the year were slightly over 16,000,000 head, valued at $314,300,000, an increase of $20,000,000 over 1905. General prices fluctuated within a narrower range than in previous years. Beef cattle average 25 cents a hundred higher, hogs $1 higher, sheep 20 cents higher and lambs 5 cents higher.

FOURTEEN DIE IN PANIC.

MANILA, Dec. 27.—A. Villaneuxa, Governor of the province of Oriental Negros, has reported that fourteen natives were killed and thirteen wounded in a panic at a midnight massacre Christmas at Tanjaya. A woman was taken with an epileptic fit and cried out for help. This caused a stampede, which resulted in the fatalities mentioned above.

CHURCH SEPARATION BILL.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—The Senate Committee on Church and State Separation today favorably reported the bill, which was referred to it amending the church and state separation bill of 1905. The measure will be debated in the Senate tomorrow.

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THE OIL INDUSTRY.

LONDON BUYS INTO COALINGA.

TWO MILLION DOLLAR VALUE PLACE FOR SALE.

Papers by Which British Company Is to Assume Control of Entire Easterly Side of Fields of That District Are to Be Signed by Next Monday.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COALINGA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Oil lands in the Coalinga fields valued at $2,000,000 are in process of transfer to a London company organized for the purpose, and known as the Coalinga Oil Field (Limited) Company. The final papers under which the London company will assume control of the entire easterly side of Coalinga fields are to be signed by next Monday.

The Farm Sales Agency has secured options on fifteen properties on west side of the Coalinga fields, representing a total valuation of $4,000,000. The agency has been given these options for one year for the purpose of sale.

With this purchase by the London company the principle of the combination is now firmly established in the California fields. The Standard and Associated Oil companies are dominant in the Kern district, and the Union Oil Company has control of the Santa Maria fields, as well as other southern territory.

Great secrecy has been maintained in the preliminary proceedings in the Coalinga transfer, which have been in progress for a year. The properties which will pass into the ownership of the English company include the following: Oyama, Pittsburgh, Coalinga, W. Moreland Coalinga, McGerry, Starr, Mission, Forty, Thirty-four, Arline, Avon and Kaweah companies, the holdings of S. Ward, all of sections 34, 14 and half of section 26 in township 19 south, range 15 east, and lands of O. Heath.

In this area are many wells in operation. The estimated value of the lands is said by expert oil men to be upward of $1000 an acre, and in some parts of the territory they are worth much higher figures.

S. W. Morsehead, who, as manager of the Farm Sales Company, has secured options on the west side properties, says he has 90 per cent. of the fields on that side of the district now in his control, whose present daily production is 6000 barrels.

RED RENEGADE BAND PURSUED.

OUTLAW YAQUIS NUMBER ONE HUNDRED.

Work Train Arrives on Scene of Slaughter in Time to Save American Foreman and Wife from Fate of Murdered Mexicans — Trouble Confined to One District.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—The details of the Yaqui Indian outbreak at Lencho Station on the Cananea, Yaqui River and Pacific Railroad, a branch of the Southern Pacific in Sonora, on Sunday night, in which eight Mexicans were killed and all the tent houses burned, have been received here.

No Americans were killed, though it is certain that but for the timely arrival of a work train with a large crew of laborers Foreman Thompson and his wife would have been killed.

Reports from the same vicinity tell of murders and outrages perpetrated by the Yaquis on Thursday and Friday and Friday night. The victims were all Mexicans, who were taken by surprise on their lonely ranches.

Details of the outbreak are extremely meager, but show that the situation is serious. For several weeks past restlessness has been observed among the Indians, but an outbreak was hardly anticipated. No unusual preparation had been made for Yaqui attacks. Those killed were shot down before any effort at defense could be made.

The band of outlaw Indians is said to number about 100. Rumors of their depredations were rife on Saturday when many ranchers fled to the towns for safety and reported a number of murders in the district southwest of Guaymas. It was not believed, however, that the Yaquis would dare to attack a railroad station.

Lencho is one of the smallest stations on the Cananea, Yaqui River and Pacific Railroad. About twenty-five men under foreman Thompson are employed there, engaged in welboring. No sentries had been posted, and the first intimation of the attack was a volley of rifle shots fired into the tent houses.

Immediately afterward the houses were set on fire and by the light of the flames the Yaquis shot at the frightened Mexicans, who were trying to escape. The reports received here say that in addition to the eight men killed at the station, a number of Mexicans were wounded.

At a time when the residents of the camp, including Thompson and his wife, seemed doomed, the whistle of a work train was heard, and a few minutes later the train pulled into the station. The crew of the train immediately went to the assistance of the people at the station and the Indians took flight.

Mexican troops are now in pursuit of the band, and it is believed that the Indians soon will be captured.

Soldiers are being rushed to the troubled district in large numbers, as the government is determined to make short work of the latest outbreak. It is believed that the outbreak will not prove general, and that the trouble has all been caused by one renegade band.

EXPECT PRESIDENT'S VISIT.

MANILA, Dec. 27.—The native press, officials and people are elated over newspaper reports that the President contemplates visiting the Islands next summer.

AT THE CITY HOTELS. ARRIVALS YESTERDAY.

LANKERSHIM—Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ackerman, Duluth, Minn.; J. H. Jeffries, Philadelphia; M. Alexander, Lancaster, Pa.; J. O. Chapman, Miss Chapman, Chicago; J. J. McCardy, St. Paul; Mrs. R. S. Murphy, Denver; Miss C. D. Bashisel, Palo Alto; Nathan J. Welli, Prescott; J. D. Heind, Medford, Or.; S. Hirsh, Pittsburgh; Mrs. L. Randolph, New York.

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AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Park Avenue, W. B. Hoag; Imperial, B. A. Vollmer, Murray Hill, E. L. Drayfus, G. Drayfus, Jr. of Santa Barbara; Fifth Avenue, W. Pinkle and wife of Riverside.

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LIVE STOCK DETENTION.

"Thirty-six-Hour Law" Violated, Is Charge.

Nine Additional Cases Involve Seven Roads.

Surety Company Bonds Must Be Secured.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture today transmitted to the Department of Justice nine additional cases of alleged violation of what is popularly known as the "thirty-six-hour law," which provides that railroad companies shall not detain live stock on cars for a longer period than twenty-eight hours without food and water, except with the consent of the owner of the stock, and then not longer than thirty-six hours.

The cases were one each against the Great Northern, the Oregon Short Line, the Southern Pacific, the Union Pacific, the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, and three against the Santa Fé.

SURETY COMPANY SECURITY.

SHAW RENDERS DECISION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Shaw has issued a circular in which he decides that hereafter no surety company shall be accepted under the provision of the act of Congress approved August 13, 1899, as sole surety on any stipulation or bond in which the United States is interested for any amount greater than 10 per cent. of its paid up capital and surplus, unless such company shall be secured as to any excess by reinsurance.

Two or more companies may be accepted on any bond, the penalty of which does not exceed 10 per cent. of their aggregate paid up capital.

GOING AFTER VLADIVOSTOK.

WEATHER BUREAU MAY ANNEX IT TO MAP.

Incomplete Chain of Stations, and Long Intervening Distances, Too Great to Permit of Accurate Observations—Plans Started to Fill in Gaps.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After months of study of the daily weather reports from group of points in Siberia, the Weather Bureau has decided that it needs more of them in order to secure satisfactory results and reliable guidance toward more accurate forecasts of the weather. Accordingly, it is proposed, if possible, to secure more data from the eastern hemisphere.

About a month ago reports began to come from Toms, Ekaterinberg and Irkusk in interior Siberia. With these at hand, forecast offices have been studying from day to day, trying to correct observations and conditions. It develops, according to officials of the bureau, that the immense distance between the most easterly of these points and the most westerly points on this continent is too great.

It is necessary to fill in that gap before work will be in a satisfactory condition. It is proposed, accordingly, to investigate and learn whether Vladivostok and Petropaviovsk, heretofore known only on war maps, may be annexed to the international weather map. Even if this is accomplished, there will still be very long interval of the Kamschatka and Aleutians and the North Pacific to be covered.

It is proposed as soon as possible to secure the authorization for a weather station, equipped with wireless apparatus, located on some of the outlying islands of the Aleutian chain from which reports may be transmitted to Nome, Alaska.

Arrangements are being made for securing more reports from Nome, and then, with this chain complete, it is thought results will be possible which will greatly extend the usefulness and accuracy of the weather service.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

More Aid for China.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Additional subscription for the China famine sufferers, amounting to $1000, have been received by the American National Red Cross, making $6000 to date. The Chinese Minister today thanked Secretary Root for the evidences of good will and friendship given by the American government and people toward the sufferers.

Agree on Congo Matter.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Baron Moncheur, the Belgian Minister, today called on Secretary Root. It was learned that the conference related to the Congo, and that the United States and Belgium are in accord on the matter.

RAISE INSURANCE TAXES.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The Financial Committee of the Senate has raised the rate of taxation on both French and foreign insurance companies from f.6 to f.10 per million of assured capital. It is expected that this increase will add $200,000 a year to the national revenue.

BRIG.-GEN. J. FRANKLIN BELL, who will be promoted to major-general.

BELL IS NEXT FOR PROMOTION.

STAFF CHIEF STEPS UP ONE GRADE IN ARMY.

He Is Slated for Promotion When Maj.-Gen. Lee Retires from Active Service on March 2—Will Continue His Present Important Duties Under New Commission.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—It is announced that Brig.-Gen. J. F. Bell will be promoted to be a major-general upon the retirement from active service on March 2 of Maj.-Gen. Lee. Gen. Bell will continue to discharge the duties of Chief of Staff under his new commission.

SAVANTS HOLD GREAT MEETING.

ROCKEFELLER'S FORTUNE IS ATTACKED AND DEFENDED.

One Speaker Denounces This Wealth as Gained by Vicious Means and Another Member Points Out Good Done by Financier Which Is Forgotten by Critics.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The concentration of wealth in the hands of comparatively few was vigorously denounced and earnestly defended at the opening sessions today of the fifty-seventh annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, attended by 1500 delegates. Henry Lauries Call of Washington, D. C., attacked the right of John D. Rockefeller to his fortune, on the ground that, as he asserted, it was not the result of natural causes, but had been created through corporate activity, which the speaker termed "vicious."

During a subsequent discussion of "The Evolution of Property," Louis G. McPherson, assistant to the late Samuel Spencer as president of the Southern Railway, replied to Call. He declared that Rockefeller had had his financial struggles and had done much good, which was generally lost sight of in the criticism which came with success.

He told of Rockefeller's early attempt to obtain $25,000 with which to construct a pipe line for oil. One man who refused aid met the financier when the pipe line had been laid. To him Rockefeller said: "I built that pipe line to make oil cheaper, and I succeeded. I cut the cost more than half. And yet they find fault."

McPherson told then, less seriously, of a dinner party several years ago at the Rockefeller home when Mrs. Rockefeller explained the absence of oysters by saying: "We like them, but are too poor to have them."

This was to illustrate McPherson's point that a man might be worth $100,000,000 and still be short of ready cash if he kept his factories in operation.

Wealth and railroads were but two of the many subjects discussed by the speakers.

The first general session was called to order at 10 o'clock today by the retiring president, Dr. C. M. Woodward of Washington University of St. Louis. He will introduce the president of the year, Dr. W. H. Welch of John Hopkins University, who will respond to an address of welcome from President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia.

One of the most interesting of the general functions is to be the presentation to the American Museum of Natural History of the busts of ten scientists, by Morris K. Jessup, on Saturday afternoon. J. P. Morgan will preside.

Among the distinguished men expected to attend the meeting are Simon Newcomb of Washington, President Pritchett of the Carnegie foundation, Whitelaw Reid, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Dr. Simon Flexner of Rockefeller Institute, Bishop Greer, Dr. Robert Woodward of Carnegie Institute, Dr. C. H. Wardell Stiles of the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service, Dr. L. O. Howard of the United States Entomological Department and Dr. George Bruce of the State Normal School, Greeley, Colo.

CAN PREVENT FLOODS BY FOREST RESERVE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Gifford Pinchot, chief of the Forestry Service, today approved a rough draft of a report to the Secretary of Agriculture, relating to the 4,000,000 acres of land in Indian Territory, whose withdrawal for forest-reserve purposes brought out criticism of the Secretary of the Interior by a Senate committee.

The report will be a defense of the withdrawal of the lands, which are located in the Choctaw and Cherokee Nations, and will show, first, that the proposed forestry reserve was asked for, primarily, by the Indians themselves; second, that the maintenance of a forest on the proposed area will furnish a much-needed continuous supply of timber and wood for local use, and also prevent disastrous floods along a thousand miles of the Red River in Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana, where immense sums are now expended for levees; third, that the reserve would not take up all the residue of land after allotments to the Indians.

The report will still further insist that the action of the Secretary of the Interior in temporarily suspending allotments was not only within his right, but that he would have been remiss had he done otherwise.

RETRIBUTION COMES SOON.

Tragic Justice Visited Upon Boy Burglar.

Fearfully Shot by Rifle He Had Stolen.

Prominent New York Woman Victim of Error.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Terrible justice was visited upon two boy burglars early today. One of them lies dying, with his abdomen half shot away by a rifle which he stole with other plunder last night. The other lad is in a prison cell, where he has sobbingly confessed to his crime.

The dying boy is August Schwartz, 13 years old, and the doctor who is attending him at his home at No. 8 Octavia street, says the patient has no chance for recovery. His accomplice is August Pallassou, only one year older.

Pallassou's father owns a milk ranch at Hamilton and Bouden streets and it was while driving an early morning milk route that the two children, scarcely out of short trousers, became cracksmen. Last night the store of the Imperial Arms Company at Van Ness avenue and Market street was burglarized. The door had been pried open by a piece of gas pipe. The booty consisted of four heavy 30.30 Winchester rifles, ten boxes of cartridges and a case of razors—all that the youthful thieves could carry.

With visions of "Buffalo Bill" and "Nick Carter" adventures in their minds, the two boys climbed into the milk wagon and drove homeward with their plunder. When they reached the outlying districts Pallassou suggested that they try one of the rifles. Accordingly they filled the magazine with shells but in their eagerness for a shot they forgot to lower the hammer as they threw back the lever.

August Schwartz climbed out of the wagon and dropped the rifle to the ground to use it as a support while he dismounted. Suddenly there was a sharp report and Schwartz fell forward in the mud.

Pallassou pulled up the snorting animals and hurried back to the wounded boy. He summoned help and Schwartz was carried to his home, a short distance away. Pallassou hastened away to hide the stolen weapons. Meanwhile Manager Kaplan of the Imperial Arms Company had reported to the police the looting of his store. Detectives were assigned to the case but just before they left the report came in that the boy had been wounded on the San Bruno road. Speedily calling two deputies, they started for Schwartz's home.

The officers have been able to establish that the two boys have been committing a series of crimes, and the detectives believe that they are guilty of many recent burglaries.

GUILTY LOVE, THEN MURDER.

SAN JOSE MAN SHOOTS WOMAN AND SELF.

Writes Rambling Letter to Explain Crime—Enters Woman's Room After Her Husband Leaves, Shoots Her Down and Commits Suicide. Hints That Victim "Ruined" Life.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Albert E. Davidson, whose people live in San José, Cal., shot Mrs. Freida Weigel three times in a boarding-house conducted by her and her husband, today, inflicting serious wounds, and then shot and instantly killed himself. He was employed by the Southern Illinois Construction Company and was 32 years old. The woman is 28 and the wife of Frederick W. Weigel, a chef.

Davidson left this note:

"I, A. E. Davidson, the writer of this letter, cannot express the thoughts in words that I should use in writing this letter, but I don't think I am duly justified in putting in effect every thought that should express my mind concerning the woman, who, I hope, the writer is fairly acquainted with. While this act that I am contemplating is certainly foolish, I cannot deny that under the circumstances I shall certainly put it in effect. I am quite willing to accept the punishment that shall await me in the future world.

"I ask any one that this may concern, to investigate the character of this woman as well as mine. I am sorry my passionate mind suggested the move which I will make.

"If the threats that are in my mind are carried out, all I can ask from heaven or earth is the same as the thief on the cross, 'Remember me in Paradise.' That is all and more than I should ask.

"If this is published in a paper, please send a copy to Miss Daisy Davidson, No. 129 South Ninth street, San José, Cal.

"Desperatefully,

"A. E. DAVIDSON."

"A criminal who does not deserve to be buried. Mrs. Weigle shall ruin my life but once."

Davidson, who was known to the other roomers as "Slim," had been living at the Weigle boarding-house for two weeks. The shooting occurred in Mrs. Weigle's room, half an hour after her husband went to work.

When the police arrived, Mrs. Weigle was unconscious. Davidson's dead body lay on the floor, a revolver by his side. Roomers in the house say Davidson went to Mrs. Weigle's room and begged her to leave her husband and marry him. When she refused, he drew a revolver and began firing before she had time to escape. She is at the City Hospital, hovering between life and death.

It was learned from an accident insurance policy that his mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Davidson, resides in San José.

STATE'S WITNESS FOUND.

LONG SEARCH REWARDED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOLEDO (O.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William Donaldson, a witness for whom the State has been searching for months, in order to extradite Ira Bryant, a wealthy man of Hudson, Mich., to answer to a charge of arson in connection with three firebug cases in Williams county, was found today.

ARREST WRONG WOMAN.

SHE HAS A BAD "DOUBLE."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—One of the most remarkable and distressing cases of mistaken identity ever brought before the courts in this city reached its climax today when the victim, Mrs. Alexander Trautman, the wife of a prominent physician was on her alibi discharged, after a hearing in Police Court on a charge of larceny from a man's person.

A moment after Mrs. Trautman had been given her liberty, her accuser, P. J. Hogan, a clerk, was placed under arrest on a charge of assault preferred by Mrs. Trautman. In support of her charge that Hogan treated her roughly when he caused her arrest, she bared her arm and showed the magistrate black and blue marks where she said Hogan had seized her.

As a result of a search by the police the missing "double" of Mrs. Trautman was taken into custody today.

CONSUL FOUND DEAD.

MURDER OR SUICIDE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 27.—The Russian Consul here, Col. Degelmann, was found dead in bed this morning, having been killed by a pistol shot. Whether he was murdered or committed suicide has not been determined. It is believed he took his own life, but the reason for his action has not transpired.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Goes via Razor Route.

OAKLAND, Dec. 27.—William Harrington, a retired merchant, committed suicide at an early hour this morning at his home in Fruitvale, by cutting his throat with a razor. No reason for his act is known.

He Would Change Plea.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Mental incapacity in both father and son was made the basis of the attempt of Louis Dabner to secure a withdrawal of his former plea of guilty, made in connection with the gas-pipe murders before Judge Cook today.

City Marshal Murdered.

LAMAR (Colo.) Dec. 27.—City Marshal Horace Frisby was shot and killed here last night by two strangers, who subsequently escaped. There were no witnesses to the killing, but Sheriff George Thomas heard the shots and arrived at the scene in time to see the two men making their escape.

Murdered by His Brother.

LANSING (Mich.) Dec. 27.—Elbert Conklin, a stone mason, was shot and killed last night in his home here by his brother, Melvin. They had quarreled over property matters. Mrs. Elbert Conklin ran from the house in terror, and Melvin fired one shot at her, slightly wounding the woman in the arm. Melvin is under arrest and appears to be insane, or feigning insanity.

Aged Doctor Threatened.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Announcement was made today that Dr. Markar G. Dadierrian, a well-known Armenian physician and manufacturer, is being guarded by the police as the result of a "black hand" plot. The physician, it is said, has recently received two letters threatening him with death if he failed to pay $10,000 to the writers. Dr. Dadierrian is 70 years old and wealthy.

Fatal Feud Shooting.

LEXINGTON (Ky.) Dec. 26.—Hiram Mullins and his son were shot and fatally wounded in a feud battle fought at their home with a gang headed by Charles and "Bud" Little and John Brewer. It had been a feud of long standing between the two families. Today the men met and the Littles fired on the Mullins. The latter made a running fight to their home, but were shot down.

Embezzler Is Sentenced.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27.—William C. Anderson, former assistant paying teller of the First National Bank of this city, pleaded guilty in the criminal court today to embezzling $9000 of the bank's funds, and was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary. Anderson had been employed in the bank for eighteen years, when he disappeared on December 1 last. He was arrested at Austin, Tex., last week, and since then most of the stolen money has been recovered.

Wants Sweetheart Arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Freda Gilman, a wealthy San Franciscan, today asked the police to arrest Joseph Glick, a former sweetheart, whom she charges with feloniously embezzling $3000 in cash and a quantity of jewelry. The fair plaintiff says that she gave Glick the money and jewels to deposit in a safety-deposit box, after the San Francisco fire. Meanwhile she left the city, and on her return found that her deposit box at the bank was empty, and that Glick had left the city.

THAT BRITISH BLIZZARD.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The blizzard which commenced Christmas night continues throughout Great Britain. The country districts in many of the northern parts of the country are snowbound, trains are blockaded, roads are impassable and rural villages temporarily cut off from communication.

Regular Advertising for January 1.

"Liners" 1 Cent Per Word.

Advertising copy of every description for insertion in the regular news sheets of the January 1st issue of The Times will be received up to and including the night of December 31st. Regular daily rates will be charged, and the cost of "Want" ads, real estate classified and other "Liners" will be the same as in the regular daily issues—one cent per word.

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Carpenter in Africa.

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ss of Crops Will Be Recruited Soon.

Rainfall Reported in All Sections.

re some people in this city who kicked at the rain, but they did was to make a few irreverent expressions promptly squelched by the man, who felt richer every raindrop hit him on the nose. The young man who waded home with his best girl had ems to be sad for a time, but e there were consolations, as for Walter Raleighs are doing the cloak act.

the rain gauge on The ning showed at midnight a of an inch after 5 o'clock. the day .61 of an inch and the season of 4.93 inches. At this time the rainfall was . Thus does Los Angeles ging ahead; more rain, ation, more prosperity.

ther man says that today will with possibly showers and ging from southeast to If the wind changes in this ay enough there will be nshine to sparkle on the which bedeck the flowers in and one gardens.

RFALL IS HEAVY.

CHES IN PASADENA.

A, Dec. 28.—At 5 o'clock the rain gauges of Pasadena 18 inches of rain for the ing the total precipitation a fraction over seven ts the record of last considerable figure and optimistic as to the outcrops of next year. The come at most opportune the land has received the able amount of benefit. storm has been char- the continuous downfall by any violent precipitaome last night the gutters and Fair Oaks avenues , but traffic was not imdamage was reported. continues until the end and the sky then clears ideal weather will be exing the Tournament of

IN DARKNESS.

PUTS OUT LIGHTS.

BERNARDINO, Dec. 27.— business section is and there is damage will result abates. Water is six the streets, lapping on each side, and great pouring into the business every street leading along the west side of between Third and Fourth, ally abandoned, owing to rain ning onto the sidewalks. damages have occurred where the storm ially severe.

mountains are interthe electric plants, leavin total darkness. The service is out of busithe rain is pouring down ches. These are the condiconfront San Bernardino

two gas plants men have been night, preventing washouts, has left its channel and down the old branch, threatity reservoir, besides Santa , and is keeping Colton ed, as much damage may before morning if the downs.

n, Colton, Highland and Riport from an inch to two in since 7 o'clock this evenno serious damage so far as been done.

Rains in Torrents.

TA, Dec. 27.—There was al- downpour in the mountains of in this city there fell two-five minutes .90 of an a late hour the rain was intermittently and will probably of an inch to the record ng. To date the fall for has measures 6.90 inches, above the normal at this time The San Gabriel River is in a torrent is rushing down The Mercereau Bridge and ne Company has a camp of on the river's bank, but they are on high ground and in no danger.

Riverside Gets Some.

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 27.—There was a light rain this afternoon and about .15 of an inch fell up to 5 o'clock. Since that time it has steadily increased and shortly before midnight nearly .50 more of an inch fell. The rain is welcomed and ranchers are convinced that a prosperous year will follow.

Gently in Santa Monica.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 27.—Gently the rain continued to fall last night and throughout the day. The total precipitation for the season is already 4.34 inches. Most of it has soaked into the ground. It has fallen slowly and the storm drains have been called upon to carry only a very small portion of it into the sea.

Ranchers Are Smiling.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—The rain has caused smiles from the ranchers, for just now it does much good. The storm has placed about .65 inches in the valley near Santa Ana. Orange claims .75 inches, and the foothill regions have an inch.

Good for San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 27.—Yesterday's rain continued into the night and up to this morning at 5 o'clock 1.01 of an inch had fallen. This swells the season's fall to 3.19, which is slightly above the average. The rain extended throughout the country, doing an immense amount of good.

"HEIR" OF PULLMAN.

Title Which the Mother of a Half-Starved New York Boy Gives Him When Rescued.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Acting on an anonymous letter, agents of the Children's Society today found a 5-year-old boy, named Edward Pullman, half-starved and wrapped in rags, on the top floor of a tenement house on West Twenty-eighth street.

The child's mother, who called herself Lillian Pullman, was taken to the Children's Court, where she declared that the boy was heir to a trust fund of $50,000.

She said she had been married to George H. Pullman, who, she declared, was a son of the palace-car manager, and that they had lived in Baltimore before coming to New York. Before the birth of the boy, Pullman, she said, arranged a trust fund for him, of $50,000, which he was to have on reaching 21 years. Later, she obtained a divorce from Pullman.

The mother was released, but the boy was held for further investigation. Those said to be familiar with the woman's history tonight stated that, as Lillian Mason, daughter of Samuel A. Mason, a physician of this city, she was about ten years ago a stenographer for the National Red Cross Society, and accompanied Miss Clara Barton to Armenia and to Cuba.

George H. Pullman, a nephew of the palace-car manufacturer, was secretary of the society at that time, and Lillian Mason alleged that he married her in 1896. Subsequently, however, he successfully opposed this claim in the courts. Meantime, the woman was dismissed from the Red Cross service, and was sent back to this country from Cuba by Gen. Fitzhugh Lee.

OOD-DRINKER IS HANGED BY A MOB.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

O (Colo.) Dec. 27.—A special Chieftain from Las Animas, says Lawrence Leberg there tonight for the Henry Lavenmyer, by a masked men.

ty men entered the jail re 9 o'clock, and easily the Sheriff, Under-Sheriff other officers, and locked ty to a room of the building.

then went to the cell occuers, struck the shackles ks, and took him from the

body of men and boys was waiting outside the walls, and when the prisoner and his captors appeared, they formed a procession and proceeded a short distance from the jail and hanged Leberg to a telegraph pole.

The self-confessed murderer made no resistance, and made no statement.

The mob offered no violence, and no shots were fired during the entire affair.

Before the mob reached the jail Leberg heard them coming. He arose from his cot, dressed himself coolly, and awaited the coming of the avengers of Lavenmyer's death.

The leader of the mob made no effort to disguise himself, and it is declared that the ringleaders are known to the jail officials.

AINS ARE TIED UP FOR WANT OF FUEL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SON (Kan.) Dec. 27.— freights on the Hutchinson and Kingsley Santa Fe and an extra the Hutchinson and hes are tied up in the want of coal to run the

YEAR'S BUILDING.

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ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

, Dec. 26.—More lines of constructed in the United the last year than have any year since 1888, the Railway Age. Since 667 miles of track 288 lines in forty- and Territories, making the country's total railway mileage 223,139.

The largest amount of railway building during the year was done in Texas, where 701 miles of track were laid. Louisiana and South Dakota are almost tied for second place, with 391 and 389 miles, respectively.

MERCHANTS' SPECIAL RATE.

EFFECTIVE TO NEW YORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Merchants' Association of New York announces that merchants' rate to this city will be in effect from trunk line association territory, February 23 to 26, inclusive, and March 16 to 19, inclusive, with the customary fifteen-day return limit. The special rate will be as usual, a fare and one-third for the railroad trip.

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SHE WON'T WEAR CLOTHES.

Former Archduke Leopold of Austria to Leave His Wife, Once an Actress, Because of "Nature."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VIENNA, Dec. 27.—The local newspapers are discussing a report that Archduke Leopold of Austria, who abandoned his title and became Herr Woefling in order to marry an actress, intends to secure a divorce on account of his wife's eccentricities.

For some time, Leopold's wife has been a vegetarian. She finally joined a colony of "nature people," who live in caves, subsist on uncooked vegetables, go practically without clothes and abstain from all civilized customs.

After leaving Austria, Leopold and his wife, who was a Miss Adamovics, resided in Switzerland, where the former Austrian Archduke became a citizen of that republic and served in the Swiss army. The couple have now agreed to a separation.

The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and sixty odd other corporations and individuals allied with it as defendants in the government's suit to break up the alleged oil monopoly, yesterday filed in St. Louis a motion in the United States Circuit Court attacking the jurisdiction of that court to bring in non-resident defendants and petitioning the court to vacate the order of service issued by Judge Sanborn November 15.

HIS CIGAR DOESN'T TASTE RIGHT

And Yet It Is the Same He Was Smoking With So Much Relish After Dinner, Last Night, Out of the Very Same Box, Too.

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Every smoker has experienced this peculiar condition of the stomach and liver, the result usually of imperfect digestion of food. And the blame is usually put on the cigar and not where it belongs.

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No matter how disordered the stomach may be, it will right itself if given the chance. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets digest food where the stomach can't, give the abused stomach and intestines a rest, and offer renewed strength to the worn-out glands and muscles.

Brain workers can rely on Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, no matter how tense the strain. All druggists carry them in the fifty-cent packages, or if you prefer, a free trial package can be had by sending your name and address today. F. A. Stuart Company, 71 Stuart Building, Marshall, Mich.

News of other important savings today in last night's papers.

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Bargain Friday No. 364—the last Friday of 1906, and we are celebrating it. Throughout the whole store stocks are being crowded down, and today will be one of the most important days in the Year-End Pre-Inventory Sale.

We couldn't begin to tell all the bargain news in this ad. Tables throughout the store will be filled with other important values.

Covert Coats $2.98

A Year-End Saving
Nobby little short reefer style coats for women, in tan. About 23 inches long; they are made with coat collars and cuffs, pretty fly fronts, sizes 32 to 40. It's a Year-End Friday bargain, $2.98 each. Second floor.

Women's Waists at Half Price
For today we've grouped a number of soiled waists in odd numbers to go out at half price. The gathering includes lawn waists at from 50c up to $5.00; woolen waists and silk waists in various colors and prices. They go at half price today. Second floor.

Black Petticoats at 63c
Sateen and black spun glass petticoats. They are made up in two good styles, with flounces, trimmed with strappings and ruffle. Just an even twenty dozen. While they last today, 63c each. Second floor.

Peau de Soie 58c
36-In. Black---80c Quality

We've a limited number of yards of black Peau de Soie, a firmly woven quality; it will not split or cut; deep, rich, liquid black. It's the usual 80c grade. As we said before, limited qualities, while it lasts, today, the yard, 58c.

China Silk 28c
A taffeta finish China silk, 27 inches wide, pure Lyons dye; choose from shades of brown, Alice, reseda, Hunter's green, helio, and red. A regular 50c grade at 28c. Aisle 5, today.

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Soft firm lining taffeta silk that will not cut; 19 inches wide, great range of colors; wear guaranteed. Lengths 1½ to 15 yards. Serviceable for separate waists, drop foundations, linings of different kinds; 50c values at 25c. Aisle 3.

Black Dress Goods 12½c
SPLENDID VALUE AT 20c
200 yards of black dress goods, 27 inches wide, half wool sartara cloth; very desirable for women's dresses and children's wear. Unusual vaules at 20c. Today, in aisle 5, yard, 12½c.

Mohair and Sicilian 89c
10 pieces of cream and white silk-finished fancy mohair and Sicilian, 45 inches wide, heavy dustproof quality; a splendid silk with a lustrous finish. For this sale today, aisle 5, 89c a yard.

$2.00 Comforts at $1.48

They are comforts in every sense of the word. Large size, covered with the best grade of silkoline, filled with pure white cotton. All hand knotted, comforts that would be easily priced at $2.00. Bargain today price, third floor, each, $1.48.

$1.25 Comforts at 98c
Covered with silkoline, filled with best pure white cotton, good sized comforts in any number of pretty patterns. $1.25 is the regular value. Today on the third floor, each, 98c.

$1.50 Comforts at $1.25
The full-sized kind, covered with the best of silkoline filled with pure white sanitary cotton; light and dark colors to choose from; $1.50 values today, third floor, each, $1.25.

55c Linoleum 39c Square Yard

They are short lengths of from 2 to 10 yards, that heavy cork linoleum that you want for kitchens and bathrooms. You often see it priced at 65c; our regular price 55c. On the third floor, yard, 39c.

50c Door Panels 25c
White and Arabian shades in lace door panels, Irish point designs; sizes to fit most any door; 50c usually; third floor, today, each, 25c.

25c Matting 12½c
Fine Japanese matting, remnants 2 to 12 yard lengths, closely woven, good colors and designs. Worth 25c, 30c and 35c regularly. Today on the third floor, yard, 12½c.

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SPORTING PAGE.

JEFF DENIES GIVING WORD.

Is Ready to Battle, but Wants More Coin.

Skinner Leaves for 'Frisco to See Delaney.

Champion Prefers to Fight in Los Angeles.

Jim Jeffries says he has given no definite promise to Matchmaker Skinner to fight for a purse of $30,000 before the Rhyolite Athletic Club. He admits, however, that he is willing to fight again and is ready to accept inducements.

Despairing of securing Jeffries's signature to an agreement at this time, Skinner left last night for San Francisco to talk the matter over with Billy Delaney. Skinner went to Burbank to see Jeff yesterday, and the big alfalfa farmer would give him no satisfaction, but agreed to let Skinner talk it over with Delaney.

Skinner then induced Jeffries to wire Delaney and make an appointment with him for tomorrow at 11 o'clock at San Francisco. Skinner alleged before leaving that Jeffries had given Delaney power to deal with him (Skinner,) but Jeffries, over the telephone, denied this, but admitted that he had authorized the interview.

Jeffries denies having sent a telegram to Skinner at Rhyolite agreeing to accept the purse of $30,000 for a battle with Squires, and it is alleged by other persons that Billy Delaney signed the message for him. He also denies having given Skinner definite answers in the interview at the Van Nuys Monday afternoon, but admits that he was in a receptive mood and demanded that Skinner first do business with Squires.

Skinner claims to have received a cable from Squires that he is willing to come to America provided transportation for himself and manager is forwarded.

Jeff denied last night that he offered to fight for $30,000, but said he was willing to enter the ring for a purse of $50,000. Skinner reiterated before leaving that $30,000 was as high as he would go. Jeffries does not say that ultimately he will not accept $30,000 if there is no better offer, but says that he believes he can get more.

So far as the Rhyolite proposition is concerned, Jeffries says there has been nothing definite accomplished.

Jeffries wants at least four months in which to get into condition. He is soft, comparatively, and would have to harden up considerably.

FIGHT PICTURES AT TONOPAH.

ARRANGEMENTS SAID TO BE MADE BY MANAGER RILEY.

Miss Butz, Who Assisted Picture Men at Los Angeles, Expected to Reach Scene of Battle Today. Strike of Waiters Feared, But Pacifying Interests Are at Work.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TONOPAH (Nev.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pictures of the Gans-Herman battle are to be taken in Tonopah. The news leaked out tonight when it was learned on good authority that Miss Butz, representing Miles Brothers of San Francisco, who took pictures of the Burns-O'Brien battle at Los Angeles, is expected to reach here tomorrow with a carload of paraphernalia to set up for the undertaking.

Manager Riley has kept the news secret, as full arrangements were not made until very recently. Miles Brothers have been engaged in preparing the Burns-O'Brien pictures and could not guarantee freedom until a few days ago.

The taking of the pictures will add many new features to the battle, for added interest will be shown all over the country when it is known that the pictures of the fight will be seen throughout the East.

Rumors of strikes on the railroads and among the waiters have been persistent of late, but it is believed the railroad men will not go out. The waiters are to be feared for it is in their power to go out at the last minute and seriously tie up the accommodations for the visitors who are expected to be present. Local interests are at work to prevent labor difficulty.

Manager Riley feels so good over the way things are looking that when the rough structure of the arena was completed he opened five cases of champagne and gave each of the workmen a pint bottle to wash down their noontime lunch.

A general holiday in Goldfield and other places has been declared and mines will shut down to allow the men to go to Tonopah.

REFEREE ON HAND.

GANS AT LOW WEIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TONOPAH (Nev.) Dec. 27.—Jack Welch, referee of the Gans-Herman fight, was in conference with the fighters today. He said afterward that both men thoroughly understood the rules, and there would be no trouble in the ring on that score. Gans was down to a fraction over 133 pounds today. He says the rest will be easy. He will slack up a day or two before the fight. Herman will stop boxing after tomorrow.

INTERNATIONAL BOUTS.

IN TONOPAH ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TONOPAH (Nev.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three international boxing contests will be held in Tonopah March 17, if plans of Manager M. M. Riley carry. It is proposed to bring together "Jack O'Brien" and "Gunner" Moir; the winner of the Gans-Herman fight and Jack Goldswain, and Jimmy Walsh and Owen Moran.

This card of battles between representatives of England and the United States, will be the greatest international series ever pulled off, and should draw world-wide attention.

Jack O'Brien is expected in here today to talk the matter over with Manager Riley before he continues on his way East. O'Brien went to San Francisco from Los Angeles, but is now said to have slipped away from the Coast city, and to be on his way here.

It is said that in Los Angeles O'Brien agreed with Manager McCarey that he would give Los Angeles the preference if he fought a twenty-round battle. The wily Jack still sticks to that agreement, so they say, but on peculiar grounds. His match may not be made for over nineteen rounds, for Jack believes he can stop Moir in less than twenty rounds. If he does not, the referee might be empowered to extend the number of rounds, and still Jack would be within his agreement, for he would not have made the match for twenty rounds, he may say.

Manager Riley now has a representative in London, negotiating with the three Britishers on terms. Moir's contract with Hackenschmidt concludes January 1, and he will be free to sign and come to this country at once. Owen Moran has desired to return to America for some time, while Goldswain has never visited this country, and is said to be anxious to make the journey.

Goldswain gave Jabez White a great beating when the latter returned to England after being whipped by Jimmy Britt, thus assuming the lightweight championship of England. He is said to be a very good man, and must be to beat White. If Gans wins from Herman he would be pitted against Goldswain for the lightweight championship of the world.

Moran and Jimmy Walsh would fight for the bantamweight championship. Bowker has outgrown the class since he defeated Frankie Neil, and the latter also is too big to make 115 pounds. Riley is a great admirer of Walsh, and has selected him to defend the title against the Britisher.

"Gunner" Moir is the acknowledged heavyweight champoin of England. He won the title from Jack Palmer of New Castle-on-Tyne, recently.

The last international championship battle was fought when Terry McGovern knocked out Pedlar Palmer in one round for the featherweight championship at Tuckahoe, N. Y., September 22, 1899.

If these battles are pulled off they will fall on the tenth anniversary of the meeting between Bob Fitzsimmons and Jim Corbett at Carson City in 1897.

It is planned to pull off two of the bouts in the afternoon and one in the evening. Large purses will be hung up by the Casino Athletic Club.

RHODES AND MARTIN.

MEET IN RHODE ISLAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Terry Martin is to fight Billy Rhodes, the "Kansas Cyclone," next Monday night at Thornton, R. I., under the auspices of the Rhode Island Athletic Club. All bouts are off here because of the action of State police. A special train will carry a big load of Boston sports down. The winner of this fight is to be matched with Honey Mellody for the welterweight championship. This will be Martin's first battle since he killed a fighter at Portland, Me.

Owing to the power of the gamblers, battles at Chelsea and other towns within the ten-mile limit of greater Boston have been prohibited, but smaller cities throughout the State, who have in the past conducted the game in a clean manner, will be allowed to continue their bouts.

FAILS TO CARRY.

DELANEY IN IGNORANCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Billy Delaney declares he has not heard from Jeffries or Skinner. He believes Jeff is telling the truth when he asserts that he has made no engagement, as Jeffries left the arrangement of the fight to him (Delaney.)

Jack Johnson sails on the steamer Sonoma tomorrow for Australia. His manager, A. A. McLean, will take with him a set of the Burns-O'Brien fight pictures.

MELLODY HAS FIGHT.

TO MEET TERRY MARTIN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Honey Mellody, who claims the welterweight championship, and Terr Martin have signed to fight at Augusta, Me., January 8, for fifteen rounds at 145 pounds at 3 o'clock. This is not scheduled as a championship fight.

RACING AT OAKLAND.

LONG SHOT WINS SECOND.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Jockey W. Miller at Emeryville today won two out of four of his races, the first winner being Como, an almost prohibitive favorite and the second Alma Boy. The track was sloppy. The second race witnessed an exciting finish, a half dozen horses coming to the wire in a bunch.

Five furlongs: Como, 109 (W. Miller,) 1 to 3, won; Calmar, 109 (L. Williams,) 8 to 1, second; Al Lindley, 111 (Alarie,) 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:03. Johnny Lions, Sam McGibbon, Karolyi and Tonic also ran.

Five furlongs: Princess Wheeler, 129, (F. Kelly,) 20 to 1, won; Sid Silver, 129 (L. Williams,) 9 to 2, second; Mino, 129 (Brown,) 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:04 1-5. M. A. Powell, Angelita, Yo San, Black Sam, Chestnut, Quiz, Wheatstone and The Skipper also ran.

Futurity course: Chief Wittman, 104 (Graham,) 7 to 1, won; Nonie Lucille, 101 (Brussell,) 2 to 1, second; Elba, 106 (Horner,) 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 1-5. Watchful, Distributor, Royal Red, Soundly, Cocksure, Potencia, Procrastinate, Sharp Boy also ran.

Mile; Alma Boy, 103 (W. Miller,) 11 to 10, won; Tenordale, 107 (Brown,) 5 to 1, second; Crowshade, 102 (Hunter,) 18 to 5, third. Time, 1:45. Mina Gibson, Talamund and Roscaro also ran.

Five and a half furlongs: Wool Sandals, 112 (L. Williams,) 8 to 5, won; Merchant, 112 (Horner,) 7 to 1, second; Komo, 109 (Brown,) 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:09 1-5. Mala, Como, Pescadera, Bertie A, Lassen, Letitia S, also ran.

Mile and fifty yards, selling: Baker 104 (Hunter,) 9 to 1, won; Neptunas, 96 (Thurston,) 6 to 5, second; Avonolis, 103 (Horner,) 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:46. Fulletta, Triumphant and Lucian also ran.

New Orleans Races.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—Fair Grounds results:

Six furlongs: Western won, Charles E. second, Zick Abrams third; time 1:14 2-5.

Five and a half furlongs: French Nun won, Babe B. second, Tichimingo third; time 1:07 4-5.

New Year's preliminary, seven furlongs: Judge Post won, Beau Brummel second, Voting third; time 1:27 2-5.

Handicap, one mile: Orbicular won, Minnie Adams second, St. Valentine third; time 1:39 1-5.

Six furlongs: Phil Finch won, Lady Vashti second, Calabash third; time 1:13 3-5.

Mile and a sixteenth: Terns Rod won, Huntington second, Merry Pioneer third; time 1:47 1-5.

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Palms, only fifteen minutes' ride from Los Angeles. Let us tell you how. Palms Land, Light and Water Co., 410-11 Delta Bldg., 432 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FRANK G. CARPENTER has just begun a journey of 25,000 miles through Africa. He will describe this journey in his weekly letters to The Los Angeles Times Magazine during the coming year. He has written an outline of his plans for the magazine of the coming Sunday. No one should fail to read

RACE RULING CAUSES ROW.

Bettors Call Judges Thieves and Robbers.

Large Crowd Howls Over the Final Race.

But One Favorite First in Sloppy Going.

The sports at the Ascot races yesterday wound up a slushy, rainy day with yells and cries of "robbers" "rotten," "thieves," and other choice terms, which they hurled in large chunks at the judges, after the decision in the last race on the card, and for a time some ow the women spectators thought there would be a real rough house. A large crowd of angry men gathered around the judges' stand and expressed disapproval in various forms when the judges flashed Merlingo as the winner, instead of the heavily-played Cigarlighter.

This was really the first outcry this season over a decision of the judges, and in all probability a lot of people will always think they were robbed. The decision of any race is all a matter of personal opinion, anyway, and no amount of talk or argument would change the opinion of any man. Some say the horse Merlingo won, and a larger number declare Cigarlighter was the victor. The decision was very unpopular, and long after the race was over knots of men stood around and talked about it and it was the general subject of conversation among the sports returning to the city in the cars.

This decision was the only feature of the day. The track was sloppy and mud flew in every direction from the horses' feet. It was a day for "good things," for only one favorite won, in Mountebank in the fourth race. The first event went to Susannah, backed from 20 to 12 to 1; the second went to Lord Provost at 6; the third to Avontellus at 4; the fifth to Elancer at 7, and the last to Merlingo at 7 to 2. It might be remarked that four of the favorites were decidedly false ones, from the fact that they had hard work to run as good as third at the finish.

Results:

Five and one-half furlongs: Susannah, 102 (McDaniels,) 12 to 1, won; Lulcinea, 107 (Fischer,) 9 to 5, second; Phil Igoe, 105 (Koerner,) 7 to 5, third; time 1:09½. Allerion, Treasure Seeker, Taos and Vinorsina also ran. Josie S, and Nappa scratched.

One mile: Lord Provost, 104 (Finn,) 6 to 1, won; Van Hope, 107 (Harris,) 5 to 1, second; Bauble, 104 (Gargan,) 3 to 1, third; time 1:44½. Ikki, Respirator, Parvo, Pyrrho, Peninsula, Pinta, Lydia Wrouseman and Foxlake also ran. Lady Travers, Prominence and Vindicta scratched.

Six furlongs: Avontellus, 105 (Kunz,) 4 to 1, won; Veritas Vinci, 102 (McDaniel,) 2 to 1, second; Vandola, 102½ (Fischer,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:17¼. Lisbia, Avalon, Abbey Belle, Sentado, Frank V., Comas, Spartan and Gussie T. also ran. Willingly, John H., Ero Pyro and Pat's Choice scratched.

One mile: Mountebank, 105 (McDaniel,) 6 to 5, won; Needful, 105 (Boland,) 7 to 1, second; Turkey Foot, 102 (Boyd,) 15 to 1, third; time 1:46. J. V. Kirby, Ding Dong II, Rosinini, Lady King and Buttons also ran. Yellow Kid and Neatness scratched.

Six furlongs: Elancer, 104 (D. Riley,) 4 to 1, won; Merrill, 105 (Fischer,) 7 to 2, second; Charles L. Stone, 103 (Koerner,) 18 to 5, third; time 1:16¼. Little Minister, Kirkfield Belle and Nadzu also ran.

Seven furlongs: Merlingo, 103 (Preston,) 7 to 2, won; Cigarlighter, 108 (W. Riley,) 11 to 5, second; Bill Curtis, 106 (Harris,) 10 to 1, third; time 1:29½. Niblick, Ila, Belvoir and George E. Milner also ran. Confessor and Young Davis scratched.

ARIZONA.

ELEVEN DAYS AS MINER HICKS.

SIMILAR CASE IS RECALLED IN TERRITORY.

Man Working Alone Underground Was Imprisoned by Cave-in and Was Rescued After Long Period of Hurried Mining—Driving Out Gin Mills Makes Ranch Hands Scarce.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 28.—The rescue of Hicks, the miner entombed near Bakersfield, Cal., has had peculiar interest locally because of a memory of ten years ago, when a Cornish miner, Jones by name, was immured for eleven days, without food or water in a drift within the Bonanza mine at Goldfield, forty miles east of this city. He had been laboring alone at night in the end of the drift, when the workings behind him caved in, leaving a mass of earth and wreckage to the main shaft, a distance of 400 feet, and to the surface, about 125 feet.

He was saved from instant death by the fact that at the time he was in a short section that had been driven into solid and barren rock. Sullivan & Hall of Denver, owners of the mine, at first tried to reach the miner through the drift, but sand from above sifted down and to cut the timbers of the wreck meant the precipitation of another catastrophe.

So a start on a new shaft was made on the fourth day, this shaft being driven on the incline of the hanging wall of the ledge, through the hardest of porphyry, with the best of miners working in half hour shifts. When three-fourths of the distance had been driven, the use of powder had to be discontinued save in the smallest of charges, for fear of caving in upon the miner, who occasionally spurred his rescuers on to greater efforts by freely tapping on the wall with his pick.

In seven days' time the miners broke through the roof of the drift and found Jones still alive, though terribly emanciated and faint. He had lived eleven days on a tallow candle, together with a few scraps that had been left from his midnight lunch. The drift was a moist one, owing to the presence of thick brown talc on the hanging wall, so he had managed to exist without water. Olive oil was rubbed into his skin, stimulant and milk were given him in small quantity by the physician who had been held in readiness, and within a few hours he was hoisted up to the surface and placed in bed. Within a week he made his appearance in Phoenix, quietly buying a ticket for his old home in Creede, Colo., whence he departed to rest for a while with his family before resuming his work in the mines.

HOLIDAY TRADE HEAVY.

Reports from Arizona generally show the Christmas season to have been of unusual prosperity. The postoffices and express offices were rushed as never before and business generally was unusually brisk and profitable. Another indication of good times is the fact that in all counties that have reported the tax assessment rolls have been of a decided up to a degree never before approached. Only a few thousand dollars remain uncollected of a quarter of a million due in this county and a similar condition is reported from Tucson.

WHERE "DRYNESS" DISPLEASES.

Prohibition of gambling is being accomplished in many of the communities of Arizona and "local option" districts have been formed in the principal agricultural valleys. This condition has worked, oddly enough, against the interests of the farmers of the Buckeye district, who complain that now no saloons are in their neighborhood, their service no longer is popular with the Mexican ranch hands, who leave them to work nearer points where liquor is more easily to be had. There is trouble also in Christmas camp, a thriving mining settlement in the southernmost corner of Gila county, where by vote it has been decreed that liquor selling shall cease. The saloon-keepers have defied the ultimatum of the voters and announce that they will camp where they are till their license terms expire, and, maybe, longer.

NOT SO MARVELOUS.

Though locally there has been a closure of the case of DeRaylan, the Russian woman who died here after masquerading for years as a man, widespread interest has developed in the matter among scientists who are addressing scores of letters to this point seeking correspondence concerning the nature of the strange woman. It seems to be assumed that something was abnormal. This was not so, for the body was that of a slender woman, who, evidently had led a life of personal rectitude, but had preferred to garb herself as a man and to pursue a man's vocations. She had succeeded well in business, having established a business in Chicago, the Russian-American bureau, that had an average income of $100 a day.

LIGHTS ON RAGGED EDGE.

The local electric light works have been on the edge of famine for a week, but the lights of Phoenix, both electric and gas, still burn undimmed. The management of the controlling corporation has managed to keep just ahead of a failure of the oil supply and now expresses confidence in maintaining its position till ample oil supplies arrive.

BEARCATCHERS WIN GAME.

Santa Monica Bowling Team Is Defeated on Totals by Only Nineteen Pins.

In the bowling match between Santa Monica North Beach quintet and the Bearcatchers, on Morley's alleys, last night, the latter won on totals by 19 pins. Each team won one game, and tied on the first—Dysinger had high average and Roberts high game. A return game will be played on the North Beach alleys next Sunday night.

SANTA MONICA.

	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Avg.
Dysinger	177	204	193	574	191 1-3
Wright	203	126	138	467	155 1-3
Gilman	170	194	181	545	181 2-3
Lacey	165	153	168	486	162
Tompkins	236	201	166	603	188 1-3
Totals	951	878	855	2684	

BEARCATCHERS.

	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Avg.
Owen	203	195	177	575	
Hannings	170	196	160	526	175 1-3
Francks	174	183	164	521	173 2-3
Tormat	162	159	178	499	166 1-3
Roberts	242	192	230	664	198
Totals	951	924	909	2785	

ARRESTS ROOMER.

On the charge of defrauding an innkeeper, Harry Hardin, who roomed at the Hotel Howell at Sixth and Main streets, was arrested by detectives yesterday. Mrs. E. A. Farley, who conducts a rooming-house in the Flat Iron building at Eighth and Main streets, is the plaintiff. The officers say Hardin is a roller polo player.

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MASONS INSTALL.

West Gate Lodge No. 235, F. and A. M., installed officers last evening at Masonic Temple as follows: Master, Henry S. Brown; senior warden, Henry W. Louis; junior warden, Walter H. Auble; treasurer, Fred Zucker; secretary, August Wackerbarth, chaplain, Joseph L. Murphy; marshal, Frank E. Edwards; senior deacon, Jay B. Jacobs, junior deacon, F. M. Duncan; stewards, Alfred E. Adams and Charles F. Turner; tyler, Edward H. Miller. E. F. Richards, retiring master, was installing officer, assisted by Past Master Ludwig Schiff.

Palms, Palms, Beautiful Palms, "overlooking the city and the sea." Free railroad tickets. Free automobile to homeseekers and investors. Palms Land, Light and Water Co., 432 H. W. Hellman Bldg., 410-11 Delta Bldg.

Acorn Steel Ranges $2.50 Down

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Any range in our stock up to $40.00. On ranges from $45.00 up we accept a payment of $5.00. Weekly payments of $1.00 can be arranged in either case.

THERE IS A REASON for every item of Acorn construction. Every special feature in the make-up of Acorn Steel Ranges accomplishes something for durability, convenience, good baking, thorough heating, or fuel saving, and every idea that assists in reaching these objects is embodied in our handsome new assortment.

Acorn Ranges are guaranteed by the manufacturer as well as by ourselves.

Acorn Gas Range $16.50

It is the Gem Acorn, the best all-around good-for-any-service stove that's made. If you can find its equal in town marked regularly at this price, we will send you one out free. It will stop all worry over gas bills and satisfy you in every way. We have a good line of gas stoves—all of them the best in their class.

GENEROUS CREDIT.

We will not only give you credit on Stoves, but on Furniture, Carpets and Draperies. You should examine our Generous Credit plan. It is safe, sane and sound.

$21.50 For This Fine Acorn Range

One of the best in the Acorn line. It is a 6-hole range with oven 15x16 inches, flat grate, brick linings, loose hearth and other modern features. It is a good baker, a fuel saver—a good, honest stove at a price that competition can't meet.

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Special Notice I will give, until January 1, these discounts for cash:—10 Per Cent. off for all cash, 5 Per Cent. off for one-half cash, 2½ Per Cent. off for one-quarter cash, 5 Per Cent. additional discount to those who build according to building restrictions, within 60 days from date of purchase. Bear in mind, these discounts are good only until January 1, 1907.

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"Liner" (classified) advertisements for Sunday insertion received over the counter or by telephone after 11 o'clock Saturday nights will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify."

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Title Insurance and Trust Company will be held at the office of the company, in the Abstract block, 301 New High street, in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, on Tuesday, January 8, 1907, at ... o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors, and transacting such other business as may come before said meeting.
WM. H. ALLEN, JR., PRESIDENT.
... F. CLARK, SECRETARY. 8

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WANTED—INFORMATION LEADING TO whereabouts of William Morrell, formerly of the Coeur d'Alenes, Idaho, will be thankfully received. Address JOHN SAWYER, ... Spokane, Wash. 2

IMPORTANT — WILL PEARL HOWLETT and the waiter and waitress who witnessed assault on May at the Spa, Christmas eve, please 'Phone AT ONCE. HOME A5146? 28

DR. E. S. NORTHRUP'S PRACTICE WILL be cared for by Dr. L. G. Van Scoyoc for the present. Office 620-622 Homer Laughlin Bldg. Hours 3 to 5 p.m. 28

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LOW FEE.
PROF. SHELDON,
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PERSONAL— THE WORLD'S GREATEST ASTRAL SEER AND PSYCHIC, MILBURN. He advises you with a power higher than human. He can bring sunshine and success into your life, telling you how to overcome ... obstacles; work guaranteed. ... S. HILL. Hours 10 to 8 daily and Sundays. 29

PERSONAL — PROF. ALTHCUSE, CELEBRATED palmist, acknowledged by the best informed as most remarkable reader of hands in this country; his readings—scientific, absolutely correct—must in no wise be classed with those of other readers in the city. Advise on all matters of life. Also casts complete horoscopes; high-class patronage. Beware of ... readers. 365½ S. SPRING.

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PERSONAL—M. ELLA HARRIS & SON. The best and most reputable dermatologists in the West. We show results. See "the ... in the window." 318 W. THIRD.

PERSONAL—MRS. J. J. WHITNEY, BUSINESS SEERESS, LIFE READER. Messages from departed friends. 410½ SOUTH SPRING.

PERSONAL—JOHN SLATER, SEANCE TONIGHT, 8:15 sharp, at residence, 317 W. 3RD.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED—AN OUTSIDE PIANO SALESMAN having large city acquaintance. Apply 9 to 10 a.m., room 705, ANGELUS HOTEL. 29

WANTED—GERMAN TEACHER TO TEACH ... German girl English. Call at ... TAILORING CO., No. 333 W. 2nd. 29

WANTED—BRIGHT BOY AS DELIVERY boy; steady position; wages $7 per week. MYER SIEGEL & CO., 251-255 S. Broadway.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED man to manage large poultry ranch. J. C. ... 321 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 28

WANTED—APPRENTICE BOY, ABOUT 17 years old, to learn machinist trade. Apply ... STEWART CO., 16th and Santee st. 28

WANTED—ACTIVE, ENERGETIC YOUNG man in the book and stationery business. ... WARD, 320 S. Broadway.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED TRAINMEN for small road; must have clearances. Address O, box 40, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—BOY IN DRUG STORE, EAST side, good chance to learn business. Address ... 78, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED — GOOD, STRONG BOY FOR grocery delivery. Apply today. GEO. ED... 1600 Sunset blvd.

WANTED—ERRAND BOY, MUST HAVE wheel. Apply early this morning. SWELL... 321 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 15, A GRAND OPportunity to learn business. Apply at once, ... S. BROADWAY. 28

WANTED—MAN LIVING VERY NEAR 1400 W. 2ND ST., to care for horse and cow and ... about houses. 30

WANTED—TO EMPLOY EXPERT IN BUYing and selling real estate. 747 SOUTH ... STREET.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS CARRIAGE wood worker. EARL CARRIAGE WORKS, ... S. Main. 28

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED MARKER. Apply at once, YOSEMITE LAUNDRY CO., ... 29

WANTED—WRINGER MAN. APPLY AT ... MUNGER'S LAUNDRY, 923 S. Los ... 28

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO DRIVE BAKery wagon. Address O, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—GOOD COAT MAKER AT ONCE. Address S. A. MIKULA, Santa Barbara.

WANTED—COAT MAKER AT 459 CENtral ave. BUCKEYE TAILORS. Free shop. 30

WANTED—JOB COMPOSITOR. ECONOMY PRINTING HOUSE, 332 S. Los Angeles. 31

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL. APPLY ... RICE & SONS, 350 S. Los Angeles.

WANTED—FLAT WORK WASHER. L. A. LAUNDRY CO., 631 San Fernando st. 30

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED CLOTHING ... Apply at 556 S. MAIN. 28

WANTED—GOOD JOBBING CARPENTER. ... SCOTT, 1622 S. Main, this morning.

WANTED—SIX FIRST-CLASS CARPENTER ... ROOM 424, Bryson Blg. 28

WANTED—COAT, VEST AND TROUSERS ... GEO. P. TAYLOR, 535 S. B'way. 28

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WANTED—
Help, Male.

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A strictly first-class, reliable agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Satisfaction Guaranteed. 116 AND 118 E. SECOND STREET, Between Main and Los Angeles streets. Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast. TELEPHONE MAIN 509. HOME EXCHANGE 509.
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HOTEL DEPARTMENT.
All around cook, hotel, $50; boarding-house cook, $40 and $50; man and wife, cook and helper, $15 etc.; man and wife, waiter and waitress, $55 etc.; waiters, hotel, $30 etc.; waiters, cafe, $10; waiters, Arizona, $30 etc.; $35 etc.; colored waiters, Arizona, $30 etc.; $35 etc.; baker and pastry cook, Arizona, $18, meals; short order cook, do pastry, $18; bookkeepers, hotel, $50 etc.; night clerk, $15 etc.; elevator boy, $15 etc.; elevator boy, $1.75 per day. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116-18 E. 2nd. 28

WANTED—EXCELLENT OPENING FOR TWO EXPERIENCED MALE STENOGRAPHERS, WITH STREET RAILWAY COMPANY IN SAN FRANCISCO. ADDRESS, GIVING AGE, PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE, SALARY EXPECTED ETC.
POSTOFFICE BOX 582,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. 29

WANTED— HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, THE OLD RELIABLE.
204 E. Second st. Phones A4869, Main 382. Ranch hands, blacksmiths, horse cuffers, plow teamsters, milkers, wagon teamsters, scraper teamsters, transfer drivers, express drivers, laborers, muckers for mines, all kinds of work, work for everybody, starcher for hotel, $35 month and found; presser, $35 month; fry cook, $60 month; elevator boy, $8 week; waiters, $10 week; janitor, $45 month; new orders constantly. 28

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 646 Wall street, Los Angeles. Phones Main 1146, Home F6733.
4 cafe cooks, $45 month; 2 hotels cooks, $35 month; 4 family cooks, $30 month; 3 hotel dishwashers, $8 week; 2 hotel dishwashers, $7 week; 1 hotel porter, $8 week; 1 restaurant cook, $30 month; cook, $25 month; 1 restaurant cook, $30 month; cook, $35 month; we furnish all kinds Japanese help on short notice.
CHARLEY NAKAMURA, GENERAL LABOR CONTRACTOR. 2

WANTED— JAPAN A. B. C. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, Oldest and Largest Agency in the city. 802 SOUTH OLIVE ST. Phone Main 1347, Home F3713.
We furnish all kinds of first-class help promptly with responsibility.
House cleaning department.

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Main 8820. A7650.
We hereby respectfully solicit your orders for all help and work call and see our list of male and female help wanted, we give all orders our immediate and proper attention, just treatment to all "our motto."

WANTED—JAPANESE PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, Largest and most popular agency, 421 W. Sixth st., Los Angeles, Cal. House cleaning department. Window cleaning department. Phones—Home F3078, Main 1714. General labor contractors. Every department assures responsibility. 1

WANTED—PERMANENTLY; MAN WITH general business experience, traveling salesman preferred, not over 35, capable interviewing to procure write-up data for special editions newspaper. To travel in west, good salary, no soliciting. Address until Saturday, WRIGHT FISHER, Hotel Angelus. 28

WANTED— JAPANESE O. K. EMPLOYMENT AG'CY. 708 S. Grand ave., opposite P.O. Phones Home F3119, Broadway 5358. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Day work and general contracting department. House cleaning by day or contract.

WANTED—GOOD, STRONG, ACTIVE MAN who is not afraid of hard work, to drive laundry wagon, must be sober, steady and reliable and have local references; want man of intelligence who is courteous and obliging and who does not object to long hours. Apply between 9 and 10 a.m., WHITE STAR LAUNDRY, 870 Stephenson ave. 28

WANTED — STRONG, ACTIVE, STEADY man who is employed during the week to work Sundays driving a laundry wagon and cleaning up around a laundry; must have local references and be willing to work all day, every Sunday, permanently. WHITE STAR LAUNDRY, 870 Stephenson ave. 30

WANTED—WILLING YOUNG MAN, WITH grocery experience, for store and delivery. Take care of horse; must ride wheel and know city; southeast; hours 6 to 7; local references required; $10 week. Address at once, P, box 147, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—FOR U. S. ARMY; ABLE BODied unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to RECRUITING OFFICER, 115½ N. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, FIRST-CLASS window trimmer; must be a thoroughly experienced man and have ability as a card writer. Good wages paid to the right party. Apply SUPERINTENDENT, The New York, 327 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST IN THE RECEIVING AND MARKING OF MERCHANDISE FOR A LARGE DRY GOODS HOUSE IN THIS CITY; ONLY PERSONS WITH EXPERIENCE NEED ANSWER THIS AD. ADDRESS P, BOX 193, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS MEN, EXPERIENCED IN SELLING STOCKS FOR HIGH-GRADE INDUSTRIAL PROPOSITION; MUST HAVE EXPERIENCE A... REFERENCES. CALL ROOM 302, MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY, BETWEEN 4 AND 5 P.M. 30

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 502 W. Sixth st. Home 5253, Main 5253. COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS, Ranch hands, house and window cleaners. BY HOUR, DAY OR CONTRACT.

WANTED—JAPANESE. F. S. S. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. Home 6366, Main 2281. 114 W. 9th st. All kinds HELP PROMPTLY FURNISHED. Day work department, house and window cleaning by day or contract.

WANTED — ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn $75 to $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; sure, steady work; no canvassing; experience unnecessary; send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER, solicitor and collector combined for wholesale and retail meat market, salary $75; experienced stenographer for large concern, Tucson, salary $80. Apply 535 BYRNE BLDG. 28

WANTED — AT ONCE, 2 OR 3 JOBBING jewelers; good men. MONTGOMERY BROS., Jewelers. 252 S. Spring st.

WANTED—MAN TO TRAVEL, SAN JOAquin Valley, for wholesale furnishing goods house; give references and state where last employed; communications strictly confidential. Address O, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—MAN TO TRAVEL, ARIZONA, for wholesale furnishing goods house; give references and state where last employed; communications strictly confidential. Address O, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — AN AGGRESSIVE MAN OF strong personality, a convincing talker and a hustler can secure excellent position as outside salesman on high-class line. Call between 10 and 12, 429 E. FIFTH.

WANTED—MESSENGERS WITH WHEELS, $30 AND UP. POSTAL TELEGRAPH AND CABLE CO., 238 S. SPRING ST. 2

WANTED—REGISTERED PHYSICIAN, CApable of taking charge of office; allopathic, homeopathic or eclectic; permanent position to right man. Call 9 a.m., DR. GREENE & CO., 234 S. Broadway.

WANTED — RELIABLE BUSINESS MAN take full charge our realty department, fine opening for right party. Apply with references, 3 to 5 only, 341 CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BLDG.

WANTED — COMPETENT BOOK-KEEPER, man having some knowledge of fruit business preferred; write, stating experience and salary expected. Address B, box 186, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — MAN WHO UNDERSTANDS care of family team, cow, few chickens, lawn, etc.; small place, light work; wages $25, room and board. Call 239 BRADBURY BLDG. 28

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED—MALE HELP— MURRAY & READY, LEADING EMPLOYMENT AND LABOR AGENTS, 127-129 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 'PHONE HOME A3013. SUNSET BROADWAY 6610.
FREE FARE. FREE FARE.
TO SISKIYOU COUNTY, 850 MILES NORTH. Laborers, drillers, teamsters, $67.50 month.
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TO BORAX SMITH'S OWN RAILROAD. NEW CAMP. LUDLOW.
20 teamsters, $2.50 day.
20 laborers, $2.25 day.
20 laborers, $2.50 day.
23 rock men, $2.50 day.
We are open today from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
SPECIALS.
12 carpenters, rough work, Mexico, $5 day.
4 carpenters, city, $3.50 day.
Bridge carpenters, Nevada, $3 day.
15 timber men, $3 day, board.
Engineer, hotel, good pay.
Night clerk, hotel, $25 month, found.
Mine blacksmith, Arizona, $3 day, found.
2 horseshoers, country, $3.50 day.
20 laborers, near city, $2.75 day.
Woodchoppers, near city, $1 cord.
Olive pickers, $20 ton.
Wagon teamsters, $2 day.
Muckers, $2 day.
Boy for fruit wagon, $14 month, found.
Man, drive bakery wagon, $10 month.
Cuffer, $12 week.
Boy, learn baking business, $4 week, found, start.
Boy, learn automobile business, $5 week, start.
Ranch hands, $35 month, found.
Milkers, $35 to $40, found.
Stableman, $40 month, room.
12 rough carpenters (Mexico,) $5 day.
COOKS.
Man and wife, institution, $60 mo., found.
Cook, institution, $10 week.
Cook, restaurant, $15 week.
Cafe cook, $70 month.
Cook, surveying party, $50 month.
Cook, small place, $40 found.
Potwasher, hotel, $30 found.
MURRAY & READY,
129 S. Los Angeles st.
Don't forget our once at
11th and Market sts., San Francisco, Cal.
10th and Market sts., San Francisco, Cal.
469 Sixth st., Oakland, Cal.
916 S. El Paso st., El Paso, Tex.
We also own
500 rooms, 50c, 75c, $1 per night, 11th and Market sts., San Francisco.
MURRAY & READY. 28

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED PACKER and shipping clerk for glassware and breakable goods; must have first-class references. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL CO., 419-423 N. Main st. 29

WANTED — COLLECTOR, ONE HAVING experience in the subscription book business preferred, state salary expected and give references. Address P, box 139, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER to act also as order clerk. Apply OBSERVATORY OFFICE, Santa Barbara st., Pasadena, Saturday morning between 9 and 12. 29

WANTED—SALESMAN, FAMILIAR WITH grocery, drug or confectionery trade, to sell line of sundries; liberal arrangement to capable man. 407 SAN PEDRO ST.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS CORNICE AND sheet iron worker. Steady work for one able to get out and set up work. Address BOX 521, Hollister, Cal. State terms. 31

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CHEF AND SECond for an a la carte restaurant in Los Angeles; give 'phone number in reply. Address R, box 118, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—MAN OR WOMAN TO TRAVEL and collect for large firm; salary $1423 per year and all expenses. Address with stamp, E. J. BROWN, Hollenbeck Hotel. 28

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AS A SOLICitor for meat market; must have some knowledge of the business. Apply EXCELSIOR MARKET, 2485 Hoover st. 29

WANTED — PLUMBER AND PLASTERER to figure contract for 6-room cottage, 323 Byrne Bldg., after 9 a.m. 'Phones A8523 after 5 South 8585. S. JONES. 28

WANTED—DOCTOR TO TRAVEL; MUST be registered in state; good position to right party. Apply at ROOM ..., Rosslyn Hotel, between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. 28

WANTED—SHOE WORKERS; EDGE SETter on men's shoes; steady work all year. BUCKINGHAM & HECHT, 16th and Valencia sts., San Francisco, Cal. 29

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GARDENER TO take charge of nursery; special inducements. Apply by letter to C. R. L., 322 Byrne Bldg., stating qualifications. 2

WANTED—BRIGHT BOY, 14 TO 16 YEARS, in brokerage office; fine chance for good boy; must have wheel. Apply today after 10 at 112 W. THIRD. 28

WANTED — DRIVER FOR DELIVERY wagon; one who thoroughly knows the city; also good driver; steady position. Call 2107 S. LOS ANGELES.

WANTED — AT ONCE, 3 OR 4 CEMENT finishers; first-class hands desired. Apply to NIEMANN & KNEEN, on the broad walk, Ocean Park. 12

WANTED—MAN FOR BINDERY, YOUNG man for dump, printer and boy with wheel. PHILLIPS PRINTING CO., 360 S. Los Angeles st. 29

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 15, TO ANSWER 'phone; must be neat and live with parents. Apply WESTERN MOTOR CAR CO., 415 S. Hill st. 29

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, ONE WHO ALSO understands care of saddle horse, single man preferred. Address O, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—YOUNG SINGLE MAN AT ONCE as sales clerk; give particulars and 'phone. Address P, box 118, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—3 EXPERIENCED MARKERS and distributors. DIAMOND LAUNDRY CO., 241-245 E. Fifth st. 28

WANTED—A GOOD BUTCHER; NONE BUT a first-class man need apply. 1302 S. OLIVE. 28

WANTED—25 MEN. APPLY W. MOFFITT, Burbank stage entrance, 12 a.m. 28

WANTED—MAN FOR REPAIRING AND pressing. 414 S. HILL ST. 28

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COOK, WHITE or colored, and general house work; two in family; wages $30 per month. Telephone MAIN 6555. 28

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY BOOK-KEEPer and cashier, one with experience. Apply at 556 S. MAIN ST. 28

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR COOKing and downstairs work; small family. HOME 'PHONE E1253. 30

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, $30 month, no washing. Call 206½ S. BROADWAY, room 10. 28

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENeral housework, $30 per month. 2419 S. FLOWER. Home 21687. 29

WANTED—TAILORESS. APPLY PHILLIPS The Tailor, 224 Mason Bldg., 4th and Broadway. Take Elevator. 29

WANTED—10 MORE DEMONSTRATORS, permanent work, salary and commission. 610 W. FIRST ST. 30

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN light house work, small family; good home. 841 MALLARD ST. 30

WANTED — MANGLE GIRLS, FEEDERS and folders. MUNGER'S LAUNDRY, 922 S. Los Angeles. 30

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALES GIRL. HEYMANN, Broadway Hotel news stand, 429 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK AND care for year old baby. Apply at once. 1732 W. 23RD ST. 28

WANTED — 2 WAITRESSES. ABBOTSFORD INN, corner Eighth and Hope. Permanent position. 28

WANTED — EXPERIENCED BINDERY girls. PHILLIPS PRINTING CO., 360 S. Los Angeles st. 29

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PANTRY WOMan. HOTEL BELLEVUE TERRACE, 6th and Figueroa. 29

WANTED—FEMALE HELP OR EMPLOYment. Call 422 W. SEVENTH. F6084, Broadway 1616. 12

WANTED — EXPERIENCED BINDERY girls. Apply THE NEUNER CO., 115 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—A GIRL FOR DOWNSTAIRS housework and assist in cooking. 1536 S. FIGUEROA. 29

WANTED — COAT FINISHER; STEADY work, good wages. SCOTCH TAILORS, 250 S. Spring. 28

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PANTS FINISHers; also apprentices. 110 W. SECOND, room 4. 29

WANTED—HOUSE WORK FOR OLD AND young, $1 to $2 a day. 215½ N. BROADWAY. 29

WANTED — EXCELLENT DRESSMAKER wants apprentice. MISS CASERES, West 4224. 28

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Address P.O. BOX 152, Escondido, Cal. 31

WANTED — LADY CANDY MAKER AND puller. Address P, box 198, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MANGLE girls. YOSEMITE LAUNDRY CO., Pasadena. 29

WANTED — FIRST CLASS HELPERS ON coats. GEO. P. TAYLOR, 535 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call 2656 NORMANDIE; good wages. 30

WANTED — A GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL house work, at 636 S. BURLINGTON. 28

WANTED—WAITRESSES AT THE BROADWAY HOTEL CAFE, 429 S. Broadway. 29

WANTED — LADY FOR GENERAL WORK around bakery. 1339 S. MAIN. 28

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED—HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. 2nd st. Head waitress $40, etc.; 2 waitresses, same $30 etc.; cafeteria meat cook $15 week; extra waitresses, for New Years; pantry woman $30 etc.; city, country $25 etc.; 50 waitresses, city, beaches, resorts, north and everywhere $25 etc.; woman who lives home to help in hotel $30 etc.; woman to sift flour $1 day; cleaner $30 etc.; restaurant waitresses $9, $10 week; waitress, Arizona $30 etc.; assistant pantry woman $20 etc.; chambermaids, city and country $30 etc., $25 etc.; short order cook $10 week; delicacy cook $10 week, cook, small hotel $40 etc.; man other places, first-class cook and second girl, Arizona, German or Swede $50, $40 etc.; employer here; nurse girl $20 etc.; cook and downstairs $35 etc.; house girls $35 etc.; $30 etc. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. 2nd st. 28

WANTED—COOK, SECOND GIRL, $35, $30; cook and helper, $80; cook, small hotel, $40; cook, boarding-house, $35; nurse, children's home, $25; housekeeper, man and children, $35; another for lady and child, $35; girl to wait on invalid, $20; pantry girl, $8 week; housegirl until Jan. 20, $9 week; cook, delicacy, no Sunday, $10 week; 3 waitresses, 1 meal; 2 waitresses, 2 meals, no Sunday, $4.50, $7; cook for country, $35; waitresses, $25; 2 girls mixed work, $25 each; cook and second cook, $80; housegirls, $25, $30, $25. MISS DAY'S OFFICE, 121½ S. Broadway. 28

WANTED — AT MARKS' EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 215 W. Fourth, room 3. 'Phones 1454, Main 431. Two pastry cooks, $14 per week; second pastry cook, $12; waitress for boarding-house, $30 per month, room and board; 12 hotel waitresses, winter resort, $30 and found; kitchen helper, $8 and found; girls for general housework, city, $30, $25 and $30; restaurant cook, $10 and no Sunday work; cook for small boarding-house, $40 per month and found; pantrywoman, $20 and found; chambermaid, $20 and found. 28

WANTED— HANSEN EMP. AGENCY, The Old Reliable.
204 E. 2nd st. Phones A4869; Main 382. Woman cook, hotel $40 month; family cook $35 month; camp cook $40 month; chambermaids $7 week; waitresses, country $35 mo.; waitresses, city $8, $9 week and $25 month, house girls $30 to $35 month; all kinds of positions. New orders constantly. 28

WANTED — A FEW MORE LADIES TO make sofa pillow tops, copying designs for wholesale house; work taken home for spare hours; we teach you free; pays $8 to $18 weekly; small deposit required. Call WOMAN'S NATIONAL ART EXCHANGE, room 100, Temple Blk., north entrance on Temple st., junction of N. Spring and Main, north of Hamburger's.

WANTED—SHORT ORDER COOK, LUNCH room, no Sunday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.; pantrywoman, hotel, $30, room and board; chambermaid, $30; home nights, $30, room and board; colored piano player, country, $2 per day, room and board, 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. 319 S. SPRING ST., room 17. 28

WANTED — WOMAN OF MATURE YEARS and sound business judgment; must have good education and strong, keen personality; excellent opening for right woman; position permanent. Call afternoons only. 725 BRYSON BLOCK. 28

WANTED — ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn $75 to $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; sure, steady work; no canvassing; experience unnecessary; send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FAMILY COOK $50 etc.; second girl, same place $40 etc.; for Arizona mining town; only German or Swedish girls. Employer here; fare advanced. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. 2nd. 28

WANTED—YOUNG LADY STENOGRAPHER for wholesale furnishing house; must have experience in mercantile work; give references and state where last employed. Address O, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG LADY bookkeeper and stenographer; salary $50; also good commercial stenographer, wholesale house, salary $60; experienced order clerk $12. Apply 535 BYRNE BLDG. 28

WANTED—YOUNG LADY OVER 20 TO ASsist magician and illusionist at theaters, road engagement, experience unnecessary. Address with particulars and photos if any, O, box 47, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — ACTIVE, WELL-DRESSED lady for outside work; experience unnecessary, but require education, strong personality and business ability. Call between 10 and 12, 429 E. FIFTH.

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILlow tops for wholesale house in their homes; steady work, good pay; unlimited instructions free. IDEAL ART CO., Room 8, 329½ S. Hill st.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL OR MIDDLE-aged woman to do/house work; 3 adults in family; salary arranged upon call; good home for the right party. Call at 1629 S. UNION AVE.

WANTED—COOK FOR COUNTRY RESTAUrant AT ONCE; must be neat and clean; wages $35 and board. 'Phone Sunset Sub. 1872, Home 7002. H. J. WOOD, El Monte, Cal. 28

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS REMINGTON operator for bill clerk; wholesale house. Apply THE COMPANY OF PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS, 328 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 28

WANTED — HOUSEKEEPER WHO IS A good cook and will make home pleasant for young lady living alone; no washing; wages $30 month. Phone MAIN 6555. 29

WANTED—WAIST DRAPERS AND FINishers, young girl to assist in reception room and a French girl to do hand tucking. TERRILL, 338-40 S. Hill. 30

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, live in family, no washing, wages $3; one who would appreciate kind treatment. Call early, 404 E. NINTH ST. 28

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED NURSE girl to take care of children and assist with upstairs work; good wages. Call 2659 ELLENDALE PLACE. 28

WANTED—GIRL FOR CASHIER AND light book-keeping, dry goods, experienced preferred, must furnish reference. SWELLDOM, 321 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—COOK, GERMAN WOMAN FOR small delicacy; must be clean and neat. Come this a.m. ready for work; short hours. 804 TEMPLE. 28

WANTED — EXPERIENCED AND EFficient nurse girl. Apply room 629, HOTEL ALEXANDRIA, between 9 and 10 a.m.; references required. 28

WANTED—BRIGHT GIRL STENOGRAPHER and office assistant, good position to the right party. MYER SIEGEL & CO., 251-255 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—NEAT GIRL FOR OFFICE work; must be fair penman. Wages $7 per week. Apply MUNGER'S LAUNDRY, 922 S. Los Angeles. 29

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, COMPETENT lady stenographer, accustomed to legal work. MOCH & WEINBERG, 501 Chamber of Commerce. 28

WANTED—12 WAITRESSES, FOR FIRST-class tourist hotel, wages $30 etc.; employer here. Apply early. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. 2nd. 28

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS HEAD WAITRESS $40 etc.; 2 waitresses, same place $30 etc.; employer here. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. 2nd. 28

WANTED — GIRL FOR 3 TO 5 HOURS housework daily, part pay in music lessons if desired. 234 W. 18TH ST. Broadway 4067. 29

WANTED — AN OUTSIDE PIANO SALESwoman having large acquaintance in city. Apply 9 to 10 a.m., room 705, ANGELUS HOTEL. 29

WANTED—LADY PHYSICIAN, TO LEARN typewriting; be correspondent and hospital physician. 747 SOUTH MAIN STREET. 28

WANTED—WAITRESSES, STEADY WORK, will take apprentices willing to learn. Call at ROSSLYN HOTEL, 443 S. Main. 31

WANTED—WAITRESSES, STEADY WORK, will take apprentices willing to learn. Call NATICK HOUSE, First and Main. 31

WANTED — 25 EXPERIENCED YOUNG ladies; fat salary. Apply 9 to 12 a.m. OCCULT SHOW, Midway, Venice. 31

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE GIRL FOR general housework. Apply at once, 1640 S. FIGUEROA. 'Phone West 2567. 30

WANTED—SALESLADY FOR RIBBON DEpartment, must be experienced. J. M. HALE CO., 107 N. Spring. 28

WANTED — SALESLADY FOR LADIES' furnishing department, experienced. J. M. HALE CO., 107 N. Spring. 28

WANTED — EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR general housework, 3 adults, good wages. Call 1132 S. FIGUEROA ST. 31

WANTED — BODY IRONER AND 25 MANgle girls; English speaking. L. A. LAUNDRY, 631 San Fernando st. 30

WANTED—GOOD COLORED GIRL, TWO in family; must be good plain cook; wages $30. 404 E. NINTH ST. 28

WANTED—STARCH IRONER. DIAMOND LAUNDRY CO., 241-243 E. 5th. 29

WANTED—GOOD COOK. 1051 S. FLOWER.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

WANTED — GOOD STENOGRAPHER AND office assistant, salary moderate to begin, good place to right party. Apply THE COMPANY OF PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS, 328 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—TEACHERS FOR CALIFORNIA and Nevada, with or without experience, salaries $60 to $85. Call CO-OPERATIVE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION, 407 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, YOUNG LADY, in meat store. Apply OCEAN VIEW MARKET, Highland ave., Hollywood, north of hotel. 28

WANTED—SCHOOL STUDENT TO WAIT table for board. 1329 S. MAIN.

WANTED— Male or Female Help.
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MEN AND BOYS, PLUMBING OR BRICKlaying trade, pays $5 to $8 per day; we teach you by practical instructions in three months; position guaranteed; free catalogue. COYNE TRADE SCHOOL, 4973 Easton ave., St. Louis.

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13 Pico Chambers. 'Phone Broadway 3475.

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WANTED — STUDENTS TO LEARN HAIRdressing, manicuring, facial massage, at the original college; we teach you thoroughly in short time. LOS ANGELES HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, 304 Mercantile Place, near Spring. 29

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED — SUITABLE OPENING FOR ability and hard work desired by healthy, energetic, single man, age 24, 10 years' experience in wholesale and retail lumber business, as office manager, correspondent and buyer; bond available. Address P, box 174, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—SITUATION AS COLLECTOR OR assistant shipping clerk in some wholesale or installment house in city. Can give best of references and bond. Am married man and citizen of Los Angeles. Address O, box 26, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG MAN AS assistant architectural draftsman, can do tracing, blueprinting, typewriting and general office work; willing to start for small wages. Address O, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—SITUATION BY A1 JAPANESE cook, who is competent, gentle, in good family as general house worker; wages $30 up. City or country; has best reference. Address P, box 178, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — POSITIONS FOR 150 EXPERIenced Japanese laborers for ranch, mining and railroad work; contract or day work. HENRY NAKAOKA, FRANK KUMANA, 64a Wall street. Main 6241. 28

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG MAN 22, has had 2 years' experience as stenographer and general assistant in railroad superintendent's office; references. Address P, box 146. TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — EXPERIENCED GARDENER and florist, understands propagation, glass house, lawn and taking care of a large private place; best of city references. Address O, box 60, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED — POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS, experienced male stenographer and office assistant; highest references; can leave present position on week's notice. Address R, box 199. TIMES OFFICE. 31

WANTED — POSITION BY A1 GENERAL office man, bookkeeper, stenographer, correspondent; sixteen years in positions of trust. Letters to corroborate. Address O, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—AN ALL-AROUND MECHANIC and shipping clerk in iron and machinery wishes position by 1st or 15th of January; 8 years in present position. Address P, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED plumber of good character, will work reasonable for hotel, office building, or owner of buildings. Address K, box 169, TIMES OFFICE. 31

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS MECHANICAL draftsman, desires either steady position or work by the job. Patents perfected; best city references. Address O, box 38, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR AND REAL ESTATE salesman desires to associate with responsible concern, or private driving. ARTHUR BOYCE, corner Seventh and Flower sts. 30

WANTED — EXPERIENCED, GENTLE Japanese who can cook, wants situation as porter; speaks English; wages $1250; 3 years. Address O, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE OF EXPERIence with local references wish management of family, country or resort hotel. Address O, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—TO LEARN RANCH WORK, American, 26; like agreeable surroundings. Wages expected, permanent place. Address P, box 152, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED — YOUNG MAN CHAUFFEUR wishes position driving private car, good experience. Address M. V. C., 726½ S. Grand ave. Phone Main 8882. 28

WANTED — EXPERIENCED JAPANESE boy wants situation as home boy; speaks English; wages $450 a year. Address O, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — EXPERIENCED GARDENER and florist wishes situation, city reference; prefer private place. Address R, box 114, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—HONEST AND GENTLE JAPAnese wants position in good family as cook and housework; please write. YOSHIDA, 429 Broadway. 28

WANTED — POSITION AS SCHOOLBOY near the Polytechnic High School by a young Japanese. Apply FRANK, 124½ E. 3rd st. 28

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSItion, don't object to other work. City references. Address P, box 187, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED — JAPANESE HONEST BOY wants position as a porter or dishwashing. Address 130 ROSE ST. G. Kimura. 5

WANTED—BY PRINTER (TWO-THIRDER) in news or jobroom, city or country. Address P, box 142, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — MALE NURSE DESIRES POsition; will make himself generally useful. Address P, box 158, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — POSITION AS ELEVATOR operator by Japanese; elevator license furnished. Address PHONE A8131. 29

WANTED — BY GARDENER-COACHMAN, situation, city or country; reference. Address P, box 189, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—EXPERIENCED JAPANESE BOY wants situation as schoolboy. Address P, box 150, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS CARPENTER wants work, day or contract. Address O, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—POSITION, BRIGHT JAPANESE, good cook, small family, wages $30 up mo. FRANK, Home 3456. 29

WANTED—BY JAPANESE, POSITION TO work half day. Address P, box 156, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — BRICK LAYER, NON-UNION, wants work. Address O, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED—BY AN OLD LADY WITH EXperience to care for small children in refined family; good references given. Address MRS. S. A. CONWAY, 61 Alamitos ave., Long Beach, Cal. 28

WANTED — PRACTICAL EXPERIENCED business woman, position as housekeeper in large hotel, rooming or apartment house; salary or part interest. 1821 BROOKLYN AVE. Phone Boyle 1171. 28

WANTED—BY REFINED YOUNG AMERican lady, position as housekeeper for widower, good cook; must be city, west side. Call or address MRS. CHANDLER, 1065 S. Figueroa st. 3

WANTED—BY A REFINED AND EXPEDIenced nurse, position as nurse or companion for invalid or elderly couple. Address O, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 31

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, REMINGTON operator, 10 years' experience; familiar with general office work; operate private exchange. PHONE MAIN 4285. 30

WANTED—COMPETENT ELDERLY LADY would like work in a small private family or the care of a child. Address O, box 62, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—BY YOUNG LADY, POSITION as bookkeeper, lumber business preferred. Address MISS ALLEN, 245 W. 5th st., Long Beach. 30

WANTED—SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER for either widower or bachelor, in first-class place. Address R, box 112, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—SITUATION, HOUSE WORK IN a refined eastern family. Please call from 2 to 4, 1224½ SENTOUS, near Pico. 28

WANTED — YOUNG LADY WISHES clerical position in office. HOME PHONE E2909. Address H. S., 857 Francisco st. 30

WANTED—SITUATION BY MIDDLE AGED woman in small plain family, small wages and a good home. Phone MAIN 6751. 28

WANTED — YOUNG LADY, STRANGER, would like a few select customers for manicuring. ROOM 2, 505 S. Spring st. 30

WANTED — COLORED WOMAN WANTS situation in boarding-house or restaurant. Good cook. Call up MAIN 6915. 28

WANTED—A LADY OF REFINEMENT wishes position as housekeeper in small family. Address 1924 S. GRAND. 28

WANTED—2 SWEDISH GIRLS WANT place in Nevada as cook and waitress. Call 742½ S. SPRING ST., room 2. 28

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOKKEEPER by young lady: experience; best references. Address E, 1135 S. Hill st. 30

WANTED — SATISFACTORY CLEANING, sweeping and housework by day. PHONE B9612. 28

WANTED—DAY WORK, NO WASHING OR ironing. Phones MAIN 7265, HOME 21716. 29

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER for bachelors or widower by experienced middle aged woman, excellent meat and pastry cook, references of the highest character. Address O, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE WANT EMployment, man to care for horses and drive; woman prefers second work, city or country. Address O, box 17, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED — BY SINGLE GENTLEMAN, room with bath and heat, permanent, walking distance, must be reasonable. Address P, box 176, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — TO RENT UNFURNISHED room, separate entrance if possible. B5479. 28

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—A PARTNER WHO HAS ABILity to attend to the retail sales of jewelry, souvenir spoons, post cards, curios, Indian goods, both bead and leather, to a partner who can furnish the best of mercantile references, a splendid opening can be secured in the business center of Los Angeles; valuable 3 years' lease at nominal rental, still to run; the present owner does not need capital, but is in want of a good business associate; experience in the above lines not absolutely necessary; business capacity is what is wanted; a good clean and very profitable business; deal directly with the owner by addressing O, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—AN ACTIVE MAN WITH $500 IN cash as a partner in established cash business, where the possibilities for large returns exceed any known legitimate line for the amount invested; duties easily acquired, such as taking orders inside, etc., no night or Sunday work; only a trustworthy man wanted. Apply 325 BYRNE BLDG., corner Third and Broadway. 28

WANTED—ACTIVE, HONEST REAL ESTATE man to take half interest in good business, more than I can look after myself, mostly exclusive, you will pay for only actual assets, nicely furnished office in good corner building, strictly business proposition to right party, terms if desired. Address O, box 45, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— Well equipped manufacturing concern is in position to handle the manufacture and sale of additional lines. What have you? Nothing but first-class article will be considered. Give full particulars for reply. Address AA, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR right party to secure position of president and controlling interest in a well established manufacturing business; which is making big money; $5000 cash required. See MR. SMITH, with Arthur W. Kinney Co. A9242, Main 3233. 28

WANTED—ARE YOU LOOKING FOR chance to buy half interest in company renting and handling all kinds property and fire insurance for $1500, with first-class man of experience and high reference? You see it. See PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg. 28

WANTED—HALF INTEREST IN OLD ESTABLISHED real estate business, a ground floor office and a good proposition for a live man; price $150. See KEYSTONE, 220 Grant Bldg. 28

WANTED—LADY PARTNER, YOUNG MAN with $200, would like lady partner with like amount to open lunch room or some paying business. Address O, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED—PARTNER WITH SMALL CAPital to assist in good paying business. Call and investigate, 452½ S. BROADWAY, room 7. 30

WANTED—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—AGENTS— A LOS ANGELES MANUFACTURING COMPANY want FIRST-CLASS SALESMEN for CITY and adjoining COUNTIES. Good staple and quick sellers. Strictly commission contract. EXCLUSIVE TERRITORY. Systematic and strong support by correspondence from home office will be afforded our representatives. Apply by letter or call at office, 518 O. T. Johnson Bldg. W. A. SAMPSON. 28

WANTED—2 SALESMEN TO WORK ABOUT 4 hours per day; can make $150 per month; steady employment. Address P, box 164, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — AGENTS FOR OUR RANCHman's 8 tools in 1. FOOTE, 337 Bauchet st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—A HOUSE TO HOUSE SOLICItor to sell fuel. C. P. GROGAN, 1744 Albion st. 30

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED PUBLIC stenographer and typewriter, refined young lady, permanent office space in good building, business center, 4th and Main or Spring preferred, must have location by first. Address P, box 172, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — TO RENT, 5 TO 10 YEARS lease, 15,000 feet floor room for factory, between Main and Central, 5th and 10th sts. For particulars, see CARL ENOS NASH CO., 716-18 S. Spring st.

WANTED—TO RENT FOR TWO ADULTS, a new, well furnished five-room cottage or bungalow in A-1 location; price no object. Address O, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—BY A LADY, DESK ROOM OR part of office for high-grade real estate; give price and location. Address O, box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—A FLAT OF NOT MORE THAN ten or twelve rooms, close in, either furnished or unfurnished. PHONE B 4832. 30

WANTED—TO RENT FROM 2 TO 5 ACRES, with improvements; give particulars. Address P, box 145, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—10 OR 15-ROOM HOUSE, CENTRALLY located, at reasonable rent. Address P, box 184, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — TO RENT DESK AND DESK room and use of phone. Address O, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—A SHOP BY PAINTER; STATE rent. Address O, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED — A GENTLEMAN RECENTLY from the East wants room and board near the heart of city in a homelike family. Address R, box 187, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD IN PRIvate family, Westlake district. Address P, box 179, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—
Houses.

WANTED—WE HAVE BUYER FOR 9 TO 12-room house, W. Adams Heights or southwest, to cost $8000 to $10,000, quick action. Call or phone SMITH & DIETER, INC., second floor Union Trust Bldg. Home Ex. 7117, Sunset Ex. 493. 30

TO LET—5 ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, 223 Fannig st., 1-4 block from West Temple car line, rent $14 per month. 29

WANTED—
To Purchase Real Estate.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE LARGE RANCH that has a good income, party will be here from East soon; answer giving full description so that I can look it up. Address K, box 127, TIMES OFFICE. 31

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FROM OWNER, house and lots, not over $3000; will pay spot cash; state location, lowest price, or no attention will be given. Address R, box 185, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—5-ROOM COTTAGE, SOUTH OR southwest, near school; about $2300, small payment down, balance next March. BARRY-MACREYNOLDS CO., 424 Grosse Bldg. Main 3065.

WANTED — 8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, high ground, must be close to Westlake Park, must be bargain, will pay mostly cash. Address P, box 181, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—HAVE IMMEDIATE CUSTOMER for 5 or 6-room cottage that can be paid for $25 down, and $15 to $20 monthly. WATSON, 849 Huntington Bldg. Main 4254, F7760. 28

WANTED—FROM OWNER, BEST 4 OR 5-room cottage between Main and Central, north of 12th st., that $3000 cash will buy, money waiting. COMBE, 1272 E. 9th st. 28

WANTED—LOT ON HILL OR BROADWAY, north of California, not to exceed $3000 to $3500; state size, price, or attention. Address P, box 185, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—BARGAINS IN IMPROVED AND unimproved realty for ready purchasers; list at once. PACIFIC REALTY & MERCANTILE CO., 417 Bryson Bldg.

WANTED — WHAT HAVE YOU ON E. Ninth to sell or lease? Prefer this side of Central; am in a hurry. MAIN REALTY CO., 310 Severance Bldg.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE LAND, EAST of Naples, and south of Westminster, from owners, or reliable agents. Address M, box 198, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A HOUSE AND lot, reasonable price, small payment down, balance like rent. Address P, box 136, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED—BARGAIN IN REAL ESTATE, will pay cash. BARGAIN REALTY CO., Trust Bldg., 2nd and Spring. Home 7308.

WANTED — INFORMATION REGARDING large ranches, that are for sale; a buyer. Address K, box 187, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED—TO BUY A GENUINE BARgain for cash; must be clear. M. J. FERGUSON, 2146 Kingsley st. 31

WANTED—
To Purchase Real Estate.

WANTED—CASH BUYER WANTS A SIX-room cottage or bungalow within the districts bounded by Union avenue, Main, West Adams and Seventh streets. Must be good sized lot and near car line. Willing to pay thirty-five hundred to four thousand for place that suits, if a bargain. Address SEYMOUR, box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I NEED VACANT LOTS IN THE Wilshire and West Adams Hill sections; property in this part of the city is my specialty; it won't take long to call me up and give the location and price. DO IT NOW. F. A. RUDROW, with Heron & De La Vergne, 300 Grant Bldg. A4282, Main 3380.

WANTED—I WANT A FIRST CLASS RESIdence lot between 2nd and 7th, Olive and Westlake, must be well located on high ground. If you own such a lot or have one listed give exact location and price; do not waste your time and mine on lots elsewhere or general replies. Address SECRETARY, 971 Stephenson ave. 30

WANTED—I WANT AT ONCE, THE BEST 30 or 40-acre alfalfa ranch that money will buy, prefer to deal with owners, give location and price in first letter or no attention will be paid; I mean business and must buy soon; want fair improvements; plenty of water, no alkali. Address O, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 30

WANTED—WE HAVE A CLIENT WHO wants an acre or half acre, between Hollywood and Santa Monica, near the mountains, at once for cash. Reply quick, giving location and price; no fancy price entertained. W. E. SHELLENBERGER, 302½ S. Broadway, room 206. 28

WANTED—WE HAVE A CUSTOMER FOR a 5 to 7-room bungalow, who can pay $3000 cash and balance in one year, between Adams and Jefferson, Hoover and LaSalle, be quick, tell us what you have. THE J. E. PUGH REALTY CO., 221 O. T. Johnson Bldg. Phone A5771. 28

WANTED—WE HAVE A CLIENT WHO wishes to purchase a 10 or 12-room modern, first-class residence, new, in western part of city, convenient to car line; must be first-class. HOHMAN & CAMPBELL, room 309, Severance Bldg. Home F3685. 30

WANTED — HAVE 3 CUSTOMERS FOR modern 5 or 6-room cottages at $3000 to $5000; can pay $300 to $350 down, balance monthly. Call or phone immediately. ORR-SESSIONS REALTY CO., 309 Henne Bldg. Main 6416, A6416. 29

WANTED—WE WILL PURCHASE A PIECE of central business property on Spring, Broadway or Hill, south of Third and north of Seventh, and pay cash if it is worth the price asked. WIBLER, MOORE & CO., 313 S. Hill st. 28

WANTED — HERE DIRECT FROM SEATtle, commissioned to purchase any bargain between 4th, 7th, Alvarado and Vermont ave., prompt attention. Full particulars, owners only, 3 days. Address P, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—WE HAVE CLIENTS FOR 5 OR 6-room bungalow in S.W. district, on easy terms. Send particulars. JOHN T. STEVENS CO., 204 Severance Bldg., Sixth and Main. 'Phones F8156, Broadway 1612. 28

WANTED—FOR $10,000 A GOOD 10-ROOM house. J. M. CLUTE, 333 S. Hill st. Home 2033. 30

WANTED—
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE AND household goods; if you are going to sell we will pay you one-third more than others. Phone Main 1117, Home 2154. COLYEAR FURNITURE CO., 322 S. Main st.

WANTED—TO RENT OR BUY SECOND-hand baker wagon; want immediate answer within 2 days; state price. Address W. N. CHASE, Glendale, Cal. 29

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR ANYTHING good in household furniture, store fixtures, office desks, any quantity. Phone Broadway 4484. Home 7621. L. C. SKEELS, 907 S. Main.

WANTED—POSTMASTER'S CABINET, SECond-hand, give size and price, must be cheap for cash. Address P. M. BELL, call or phone Park 2027. 29

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH HIGHEST price paid for furniture, grocery or merchandise stores, etc. RHOADES & REED, 730 S. Spring st.

WANTED—DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, OLD gold antiques; highest prices given. CROUCH BROS., jewelers, 542 S. Broadway.

WANTED — SECOND-HAND CLOTHING, shoes, furniture, trunks, etc.; highest price paid. HOME 7394; MAIN 6734. 28

WANTED—GOOD ROOMING-HOUSE FOR cash. INVESTMENT CO., 319 S. Spring, room 12. 29

WANTED — AT ONCE, DIAMOND SOLItaires, cash. ART STORE, 319 W. Third st.

WANTED—TO BUY HOUSE TO BE MOVed or wrecked. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway. 31

WANTED—TO BUY DESK IMMEDIATELY, also chair. Call BROADWAY 2384. 29

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 758 SAN PEDRO. Main 1168, Home 6041.

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED— RENTAL PROPERTIES. Gentleman, experienced in care and management of renting properties, thorough knowledge of real estate values, wishes few more such properties to take charge of; has downtown office; could devote entire time to an estate or office building; best bank and business references. Address K, box 139, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—I PAY 10 CENTS A LOAD FOR dirt dumped on lot north side of Colton st., 50 feet east of Boylston. Colton is graded. T. WIESENDANGER, room 512, 207 S. Broadway. 31

WANTED—ART. DO YOU WANT TO BUY or sell antique curios, porcelain or silverware? See GERMAN CURIO STORE, 849 W. Washington, near Figueroa. Home B5448.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, GOOD DIAmond, will pay fair price, no dealers need apply. Address O, box 44, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—FROM OWNER, 20 TO 40-ROOM house, near in; state lowest cash price. Address K, box 122, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — ELECTRICIAN TO FIGURE wiring on 4 buildings. J. BURRIS MITCHEL CO., 412 Douglas Bldg.

WANTED—CESSPOOLS, WE PUMP THEM out. Phone E3146, or North 888. LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO.

WANTED—DIRT MAY BE DUMPED, FREE, at northeast coner Boylston and Colton sts. 31

TO LET—
Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED room, furnace heated, with use of parlor, bath and telephone, $12 a month. 883 LAKE ST. Board at next house. 29

TO LET—HOTEL ORMOND, 635 S. HILL. Handsomely furnished 3-room suites, with private bath, sunny, cheerful, steam heat, $8 to $12 per week. 2

TO LET—THREE NICELY FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping with all conveniences; rent reasonable. 123 W. 39TH ST. Phone South 5123. 28

TO LET—FOR $1 A DAY, YOU CAN RENT an outside room, beautifully furnished, new, with elegant hotel service, steam heat, at 705 W. 7TH ST. 31

TO LET — COMPLETELY FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping for two people; modern; private family; walking distance. 1123 FLORIDA ST. 28

TO LET—THE OAKS, 621 W. 6TH ST., just completed; modern building; handsomely furnished; single rooms or en suite; moderate prices. 29

TO LET—147 S. BROADWAY, ELEGANTLY furnished rooms, single or en suite, with bath, $2.50 per week and up; transient; 50c and up.

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS, MODERN house, $2 per week and up; one block west of Courthouse. THE STEWARD, 412 Temple st. 29

TO LET—2 LARGE OUTSIDE FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping, nice location, $12 per month. 505 E. 29TH ST., near Maple ave.

TO LET—LARGE FRONT ROOMS, ALSO side suites and cheap single rooms, from $1.50 to $5 per week. ROSSMORE, 416 W. Sixth. 29

TO LET—2 LARGE SUNNY NEWLY FURnished rooms, single, 2 minutes' walk from Broadway. 722 S. FIGUEROA. 28

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, $1.50 week and up. 325 CALIFORNIA ST., between Broadway and Hill. 28

TO LET—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ROOMS, sunny, airy, high up, very reasonable, 120 S. HILL ST. Hotel Locke. 30

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, WITH OR without light housekeeping; large yard, in private home. 955 S. OLIVE. 28

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING room, cooking gas included, $8 month; adults. 548 EAST PICO. 29

TO LET—742 SAN JULIAN ST., NICELY furnished clean and new front housekeeping rooms, reasonable. 28

TO LET—SLEEPING ROOMS, NEWLY FURnished, $3 to $10; two blocks to postoffice. 603½ WEST 9TH. 30

TO LET—OUTSIDE SUNNY, NEWLY FURnished rooms, single or en suite, balconies. 1019 S. OLIVE. 3

TO LET—1 NICE ROOM FOR GENTLEMAN, $1.50 a week, bath, gas, phone. 629 S. FIGUEROA. 28

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY ROOM. LIGHT housekeeping privileges. $20 per month. 1318 S. FIGUEROA. 28

TO LET—GOOD SINGLE AND DOUBLE rooms; also for housekeeping. 417 W. 4TH. 28

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $10, bath included. 121 EAST 25TH. 28

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOM IN QUIET home. 1313 W. 8TH ST. 1

TO LET—
Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—IN BEAUTIFUL APARTMENT house, furnace heat, electric, gas, hardwood floors, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 6 rooms, with housekeeping privileges; in finest residence section of the southwest. Call at 2040 WEST WASHINGTON. Phone B3460. 1

TO LET — AT HOTEL OHIO, ELEGANTLY furnished rooms, private and public baths. Home phone in every room, elevator service; 50c to $2 daily, $10 up monthly. 237 NORTH BROADWAY, opposite Courthouse.

TO LET—AT CHATEAU FRONTENAC, 732-34 S. Flower, large well furnished all outside rooms, also 2 large front rooms with bath, hot and cold water in every room, steam heat, price reasonable. 31

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, single or en suite, 50c to $1.50 per day; per week, $2.50 up; central location for tourists, opposite to Belasco Theater. THE COMMONWEALTH, 226 S. Main st.

TO LET—
Elegantly furnished rooms, $2.50 to $3.50 per week; running water in every room, new fireproof building. EDISON ANNEX, 347 S. Los Angeles st. Phone 7461.

TO LET—THE OTTAWA, 739 OTTAWA ST., between 10th and 11th st., off Figueroa, modern, elegantly furnished, single, $30; 2 in a room, $50 per month; excellent home cooking. HOME 'PHONE 52188.

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED LARGE front and side rooms, housekeeping or sleeping, in pleasant home, walking distance, $10 and $15 monthly. 142 CARR ST. Phone Broadway 3966. 2

TO LET—3 NICE CONNECTING HOUSEkeeping rooms, nicely furnished, ready to move in; walking distance. Call at 306 W. FIFTH ST., room 19. 'Phone A1461, or 'Phone 7107. 29

TO LET—CLEAN, SUNNY HOUSEKEEPING suites; also sleeping-rooms, electricity, bath and 'phone; 5 minutes' walk from business center; rates reasonable. 406 TEMPLE ST. 29

TO LET — NICE SOUTH SUNNY ROOM, with buffet kitchen, outside entrance, in cottage; verandas and grounds; newly furnished for housekeeping. $15. 435 S. GRAND. 28

TO LET—STEAM HEAT AT THE WATERVILLE, 306 E. Seventh st., corner Maple. Rates no higher; large front rooms, $4 and $5 a week; also a few for $3 and $3.50. 25

TO LET — SUNNY NEW ROOM, GAS, electricity, housekeeping, use of piano, bath, machine, walking distance; also Second st. car. Main 1342. 709 W. FIRST ST. 29

TO LET—A VERY CHOICE HOUSEKEEPing suite, suitable for 2 or more people; also single room, large and sunny, on the hill, near Angel's Flight, 231 S. OLIVE. 29

TO LET—TWO ROOMS, FURNISHED FOR housekeeping, $11 per month, single room $6; lodging room $5. Six-room cottage near by unfurnished, $15. 1012 TEMPLE. 28

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS and apartments, gas, electricity, bath, large parlor, use of piano. THE WINNIFREDIAN, 315½ W. Pico st. 1

TO LET—NEW, CLEAN ROOMS. 1206 S. FIGUEROA. 29

TO LET—
Unfurnished.

TO LET—TWO UNFURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, with bath, near Chester Place; refined family, best surroundings; good car service. HOME PHONE 25128. 28

TO LET — LARGE UNFURNISHED OR could partly furnished. 221 S. OLIVE. 29

TO LET—
Flats.

TO LET—
14 rooms, modern, $120.
12 rooms, modern, $60.
6 rooms, modern, $30; near Eighth and Figueroa.
DUNCAN & BOYER, 238 W. Seventh st. Phone Main 6606, Home A2656. 28

TO LET—NINTH, W., 1226—AN ELEGANT, up to date 7-room flat, strictly modern, large French hall, buffets, fireplace, 2 toilets, bath, all rooms sunny; must be seen to be appreciated; rent $45. Key downstairs. 28

TO LET—NEW FLAT JUST COMPLETED, at 2113 Dalton ave., take W. Jefferson cars to Dalton; all modern, 4 rooms and bath, rent $20 per month; water paid. See H. J. SCHAPER, 400 Fay Bldg. 30

TO LET—777 S. MAIN, MODERN 5-ROOM flat, furniture for sale; new and clean; no old junk; cheap; two rooms rent for $30 if you wish. M'CLANAHAN, 706 S. Main. Would rent it.

TO LET—NEW CORNER COTTAGE FLAT, 6 rooms and reception hall; hardwood floors, tiled bathroom, elegant and strictly up-to-date. Inquire 1402 S. BURLINGTON AVE.

TO LET — 3-ROOM FLAT AND 3-ROOM FLAT WITH BATH. 1296 CALUMET AVE. Main 2561. 30

TO LET—
Furnished Flats.

TO LET—FOR $35 YOU CAN RENT COMpletely furnished 5-room flats with gas and electricity at 1907-1931 W. DIAMOND ST. T. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway. 31

TO LET—NINTH, W., 1207—AN ELEGANTly furnished, up to date, modern flat, 7 rooms, large French hall, barn for storing automobile; responsible people only. 29

TO LET—EASY WALKING DISTANCE, 5 rooms, neatly furnished, $35, water free, just off Hill street; soon to be lighted like Broadway. A snap. 729 W. 11TH ST. 29

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TO LET — 5-ROOM FURNISHED LOWER flat, 704 E. 7th st. Phone BROADWAY 2722 before 8, 2-5. 29

TO LET — 5-ROOM LOWER FLAT AND bath, phone, piano. 323 S. HOPE. 28

TO LET—
Apartments—Furnished.

TO LET—ANNOUNCEMENT OF OPENING of the PERCIVAL APARTMENTS, 846 S. Hill st., the finest equipped and largest apartment-house in the West. Make selections at once. 'Phones Home Exchange 775, Sunset Broadway 1575. 30

TO LET—FURNISHED 3 OR 4-ROOM APARTMENTS, GRAND OPENING OF THE UPP, 1145 and 1149 W. First, corner Boylston, new building, elegant new furniture, high altitude, above the dirt and dust; no sand; no bugs; very healthy and sightly; large society halls, all large rooms, hot water, free, close in, walking distance, both 'phones free, all sunny rooms, electric light, bath, gas, janitor, large kitchen range, roof observation, $21 to $35; for health and comfort examine THE UPP. 31

TO LET — FOR $15 YOU CAN ALWAYS rent housekeeping APARTMENTS, furnished complete, 2 rooms, phone, bath, hot water, gas range, 324 S. Figueroa, 812 W. Fourth, 102 South Beaudry, 150 North Beaudry, 1080 Colton, 1123 to 1141 West First, 204 to 222 North Fremont, 911 Diamond, 712 Ceres ave., 828 Crocker, 1003 to 1011 East Ninth. Also flats and residences for rent. T. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway.

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TO LET—BE SURE TO SEE THOSE 2 AND 3-room furnished housekeeping suites, with private bath and buffet kitchen, at the Princeton Apartments, 1513 GIRARD ST. They're new, modern, strictly first-class and with EVERY convenience. Reasonable prices. Take Pico car to Valencia st.

TO LET—NOW OPENED, NEW GOLDEN West apartments, elegantly furnished, 3-room housekeeping suites, with or without private baths, all outside sunny rooms, 5 minutes from Broadway, rates reasonable. 917 W. 5TH, near Figueroa. 29

TO LET — $16 MONTHLY, ELEGANTLY furnished housekeeping apartments, parlor, kitchen, alcove, bedroom, gas range, bath, phone, new house, new furniture. 919 ALBANY ST., 4 blocks west of Figueroa, near 9th; adults. 30

TO LET — THE HENRIETT APARTMENTS, new and up to date; 2, 3 and 4-room apartments; completely furnished; private baths and buffet kitchen; all outside rooms; elegant location. Southwest corner 14TH AND TOBERMAN STS.

TO LET — THE DOUGLAS APARTMENTS ARE NOW OPEN; ELEGANTLY FURNISHED AND UP TO DATE; 2, 3 AND 4-ROOM SUITES; RATES REASONABLE. 824 W. 10TH ST., COR. FLOWER. PHONE 5467.

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TO LET—ELEGANT 4-ROOM HOUSEKEEPing apartments, modern, with 8 outside windows, east and south front. No. 207 N. BROADWAY, opposite Courthouse. The Court Terrace Apartment House. 29

TO LET — FOR $13, YOU CAN RENT FURnished housekeeping apartments; gas range, bath, phone, at 1020 Colton. 1141 W. First and 204 N. FREMONT AVE.; nice, new, very complete and comfortable. 31

TO LET — THE ARDMORE, 941 POTTER Park ave., just west of Figueroa, between Seventh and Eighth, handsome housekeeping apartments, private bath; location is the best; rates reasonable.

TO LET—PARODIA, 944 W. 8TH ST., TWO and 3-room sunny housekeeping apartments, private bath. 31

TO LET—
Apartments—Furnished.

TO LET—B. C. APARTMENTS, 2 ROOMS, furnished; private bath; reasonable rates. 1262 WRIGHT ST. near Pico. A5470. 29

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY three-room suites for housekeeping. 453 S. HOPE. 3

TO LET—
Rooms and Board.

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD TO 1 OR 2 gentlemen or man and wife; nicely furnished front room, upstairs; 2 front east windows; door opens on porch; in a beautiful private residence on S. Figueroa st.; walking distance; large living-room; open grate fires, furnace heat, bath, shower bath, large grounds and garage. Rates, with board for 2, $70; for one, $35. Home 52151. 1147 S. FIGUEROA. 30

TO LET — EXCEPTIONALLY CHARMING suites, also 2 single rooms with first-class board in elegant refined private home on Fort Hill, 5 minutes from town, fine garden, every convenience. 416 N. BROADWAY. Main 5280, Home A2612. 29

TO LET — ROOM AND BOARD, $5 PER week and up, fine sunny suite, southern and eastern exposure, home cooking, home comforts, for particulars call up HOME A7802. 29

TO LET — SUNNY ROOMS, EXCELLENT table, healthful and beautiful location at THE COPA DE ORO, in VENICE. Phone Sunset 2148. Car to Club House Ave. 29

TO LET—3 SUNNY ROOMS, HEATED, IN private family, excellent board; 2 rooms in suite, well furnished, on Grand near Adams. Address O, box 88, TIMES OFFICE. 29

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TO LET—IN HIGHLAND PARK, LARGE sunny comfortably furnished rooms, with modern conveniences, with board. 5622 PASADENA AVE. 28

TO LET—THE MARION, 935 S. HILL, A new private boarding house; home table; suite with private bath; other rooms.

TO LET—2 LARGE SUNNY FRONT ROOMS with heat, good home table, 2 blocks west of Figueroa. 1033 FLORIDA ST. 28

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$100—701 West 7th st.
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$15—2209 East 9th st.
$15—2211 East Ninth street.
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T. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway. 31

TO LET—
$12—3-ROOM COTTAGE, 1527 TEMPLE NEAR LAKE SHORE.
$22.50—6-ROOM COTTAGE, GAS, BATH, BARN, 2527 TEMPLE, WATER PAID.
METCALF, 528 GRANT BLDG.
HOME 7373, MAIN 384. 29

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5-room house, lot 100x200, variety fruit, rent $20, or sell, easy terms.
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TO LET—BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM HOUSE, E. Hollywood, new, never occupied, thoroughly modern, $25, close to school, car, 5c fare. 114 ROOSETTA ST., Colegrove car line. 29

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TO LET—6-ROOM COTTAGE, 343 S. FREmont ave., rent $18, no objection to children; owner on premises Sunday. Address 123 N. EASTLAKE AVE., city. 29

TO LET—UNFURNISHED MODERN HOUSE in excellent condition at 1616 West Jefferson; five rooms, cellar and bath, $25. See owner, A. H. ULREY, 1435 W. 23rd. 30

TO LET—UNFURNISHED BEAUTIFUL 5-room bungalow, half block from Westlake Park, all modern conveniences. Call 421 PARK VIEW ST. Phone 52008. 29

TO LET — 3-ROOM HOUSE, SHED, 27th Council; small brick store, good location for barber, 10th and Central. W. J. GETZ, Jeweler, 557 S. Broadway. 31

TO LET—5-ROOM SUNNY HOUSE, PORcelain bath, instantaneous heater, gas, electricity, yard and stable; adults; rent $20. 1341 ALBANY ST. 30

TO LET — 6-ROOM COTTAGE, GAS AND electricity, nice lawn, 257 E. 30th st. between Main and Maple. Phone OWNER mornings, 59733. 28

TO LET — $25, 5-ROOM COTTAGE AND barn, Budlong and 39th, fine lawn, shrubbery and flowers, references required. Phone SOUTH 1419. 30

TO LET — MODERN 7-ROOM COTTAGE, corner Michigan and Pennsylvania ave., $25. Key at 1930 MICHIGAN AVE. 29

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TO LET — $14; NEW 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, porcelain bath, gas, electricity. Phone MAIN 2646.

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TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE AT 1500 E. 15th, $20. 103 COURT ST. N. Trecoti 30

TO LET—FURNISHED COTTAGE OF FIVE rooms. 319 E. 14TH ST. Phone 5043. 28

TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE, LAWN AND flowers, close in. 1027 S. HILL ST. 29

TO LET—A GOOD 5-ROOM HOUSE. 1458 E. SIXTH STREET. $20 per month. 30

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TO LET—SIX-ROOM TWO-STORY COTTAGE at 2944 Norwood, (near St. James Park.) Neat, clean, cosy. Adults only. Inquire 1966 PARK GROVE or telephone B4736.

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TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED 5-ROOM cottage, $40 and water, between Grand ave. and Figueroa; adults only. 415 W. 22ND ST. Phone West 2279. 30

TO LET—SUNNY WELL FURNISHED house, 7 rooms, bath, electric light, piano, phone; good location. West Adams car. 1715 WEST 28TH. 30

TO LET—7-ROOM FURNISHED COTTAGE N. Bunker Hill, $32 with water. Phone Broadway 1512. 423 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. 28

TO LET—MY ELEGANTLY FURNISHED 5-room house, every modern convenience; ideal location, reasonable rent. 1036 S. BONNIE BRAE. 3

TO LET—FURNISHED, A NEW AND MODern 6-room house, best location on Figueroa st., price $55. Inquire 1515 S. FIGUEROA. 30

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TO LET—3-ROOM BUNGALOW, FURNISHed, in Highland Park district, large grounds, beautiful surroundings, 2 blocks from city and Pasadena cars; owner going away; will rent cheap to right party; telephone forenoons between 8 and 10 o'clock, Sunset EAST 463, HOME C1234. 30

TO LET—DETACHED HOUSE OF 11 ROOMS, one of them unfurnished, in most desirable location, either for private home or for renting rooms, cheap price to desirable tenants; owner would retain 2 or 4 rooms. 231 S. OLIVE. 30

TO LET—ALTADENA, 1500 ELEVATION, pure mountain air and water; trolley one block; new cosy bungalow, fully furnished, $30 month. DR. LYND, Piedmont Drive, west of Marengo st., Altadena. ('Phone Pasadena 1797.)

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TO LET—FURNISHED INCLUDING PIANO, 5-room modern bungalow, beam ceilings, hardwood floors, instantaneous heater, on car line; adults only, references, $50 per month, year lease. 1564 W. 24TH. 28

TO LET—11-ROOM HOUSE AND 5-ROOM house, completely furnished, first-class location for boarding or rooming-house, will rent all together or separate. Call 1056 W. TEMPLE, or 466 N. Beaudry. 30

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TO LET — WANTED 5 TO 7-ROOM COTtage, modern in every way; good neighborhood, for mother and daughter; can furnish carpets and linen. Address 2124 PARK GROVE. 28

TO LET—NEW MODERN BUNGALOW OF 6 rooms, completely furnished; price $35 per month. 1223 E. WASHINGTON. South 649. 28

TO LET — FURNISHED 7-ROOM HOUSE, barn, lawn, etc., modern, $40. Call 4607 CENTRAL AVE. Phone B9461, South 2407. 30

TO LET—WESTLAKE, SUNNY FURNISHed home, 9 bedchambers, arranged for two families. PHONE E2176. 29

TO LET—9-ROOM ELEGANTLY FURNISHed house, very comfortable, good location. Call 1130 W. 10TH. 29

TO LET—EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, ELEGANTly furnished, lawn, flowers, barn. 141 W. ADAMS ST. 31

TO LET—6-ROOM HOUSE IN ELEGANT condition, $30. 1944 NORWOOD ST. 1

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TO LET—DESKROOM OR HALF LARGE room, one desk, furnished; stenographer; both telephones; moderate rent. 222 WEST SECOND, room 201. 28

TO LET—STORES IN NEW BRICK BLOCK, corner Jefferson and Normandie; low rates. Inquire ELLIS' REAL ESTATE OFFICE, on premises. 1

TO LET—STORES.
Fine large store, 114 W. Third. C. WESLEY ROBERTS, 217 Citizens' Nat. Bank Bldg. 30

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TO LET—STORE, VERY SUITABLE FOR dressmaker, N.E. corner of Westlake Park, 602 ALVARADO. E1652. Key next door.

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FOR SALE — GOOD MODERN 5-ROOM house, Glen Albyn Drive, close to Dayton ave. car line; also near new car shops; $2500, easy terms; this is a snap, buy it. I. H. PRESTON, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS, 50x159 EACH; COMfortable four-room house, shrubs, fruit, shade, at Alhambra; good car service; $1700, $700 down, balance easy terms. J. R. MACLINTOCK, 704 Grant Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—$5000; BY OWNER, CLOSE IN, southwest, between Hoover and Vermont, modern 2-story home, interior very attractive; living-room 18x26; large porches and improved lot. Call 1223 W. 25TH. 29

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES.
No firm has a larger list of Westlake Park district homes than we have; you can have your choice among many. WISLER, MOORE & CO., 333 S. Hill st. 28

FOR SALE — 8-ROOM HOUSE, BARN, lawn, etc., lot 50x150, street front and rear; can build two houses on rear. Make good rental property. Call 4607 CENTRAL AVE. Phone B9461; South 2407. 30

FOR SALE—$200 AND $20 MONTHLY BUYS a new, modern and up-to-date house in southwest; price $2300; bargain; would rent $30 month. DOHERTY & LA ROSE, 729 Grosse Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—$1850; NEW MODERN BUNGAlow, 4 rooms and 40 ft. lot with large walnut trees, street graded, oiled, cement sidewalks, curbs. T. WIESENDANGER, 212 Merchants Trust Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONE OF THE BEST 11-room residences in Westlake section, oak finish and everything first-class; want income property. L. L. BOWEN, 502-3 Fay Bldg. 3

FOR SALE—$1200; NEW 4-ROOM BUNGAlow; lot 40x135, near Figueroa; price $1200, small amount cash down. Apply at 546 W. 53D ST., or see KEYSTONE, 220 Grant Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL NEW 6-ROOM bungalow, 172 Bartol st.; every modern convenience; oak floors; Moneta car past Thorpe st. OWNER, 339 W. 30th. Terms. 29

FOR SALE—5 ROOMS, NEAR CENTRAL ave., $100 cash, $20 month, including interest; must sell today. Call 211 W. FIRST, room 16. Frank Rockwell. 28

FOR SALE—WILL SELL MY 5-ROOM COTtage, lot 50x150 in Florence Terrace tract, cheap; will advance $200 in next 30 days. PHELPS, 215 Delta Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—1½-STORY 6-ROOM HOUSE IN Arlington Hgts., west front, barn, lawn, trees, electric lights, best plumbing. A bargain. Owner 1630 3rd ave. 28

FOR SALE—$4500, MODERN, NEW 6-ROOM bungalow, beautiful mountain view, Highland Park; easy terms. See owner. Address R. box 116, TIMES OFFICE. 31

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST-BUILT 5-room bungalows in the city; lot 49x150; 1421 W. 37th; price $3000, $500 down, $30 per month. HAVILL, 2362 Hoover st. 28

FOR SALE — MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, electric fixtures; gas for cooking; a cosy home and the price right; terms. See OWNER, 1413 Berendo st. 29

FOR SALE—SPLENDID 4-ROOM COTTAGE thoroughly modern, 3215 E. 2nd st.; price $1950, terms; can't be beat for the price, good basement, yard fenced. 29

FOR SALE—5 ROOMS, HARD FINISHED house; lot 40x135; fenced, small barn; a snap; $1650; terms to suit. 1446 E. 57TH ST. 'Phone South 5031. 30

FOR SALE—$1500; NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE, lot 40x135, near Figueroa, only $1500. Apply at 546 W. 53D ST., or see KEYSTONE, 220 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—IN WESTLAKE SECTION, 11-room oak finish residence; the best bargain on the market. L. L. BOWEN, 502-3 Fay Bldg.

FOR SALE—BY FITZACKERLY & CO., 451½ S. Broadway, room 30, furnished cottages, $150 and $200 down, $25 per month, including interest. 28

FOR SALE—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, small monthly payments; owner leaving town; must sell; a bargain. Apply 338 PECAN ST. 5

FOR SALE—BIGGEST BARGAIN IN TOWN, 12-room house, large corner lot, in best location. 'Phone 24376. 2823 ORCHARD AVE. 28

FOR SALE — 6-ROOM 1½-STORY HOUSE, lot 40x125, $2800. 509 E. 32ND ST. Phone Main 2420. 29

FOR SALE—2 8-ROOM MODERN HOUSES on easy terms; will take a building lot as part pay. Ring up OWNER, West 1850. 2

FOR SALE—MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE; street work all done, at a bargain. 2517 BOULDER ST., Boyle Heights. 3

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—
$600. $600.
CASH. CASH.
BALANCE $30 PER MONTH.
A swell new bungalow in the southwest, paneled dining-room, built-in buffet, oak floors, beautiful electric fixtures, instantaneous heater, large screen porch, stationary tubs, just completed and price has been cut $300 for quick sale; lot 45x121.

$4000. HALF CASH. $4000.
This is a beauty, in the University district, 1 1-4 stories, new bungalow, with spacious veranda, 6 large rooms, cove ceilings, artistic tinting, gas and electricity, large screen porch, stationary tubs, nice garden and lawn, flowers and shrubs in profusion; chicken corral; lot 44x130.

JEFFERSON ST. FRONTAGE.
Within 1 block of Main st., the longest street in the city, and the one that will take you to that great harbor, San Pedro; you can secure a lot 50x150, improved with a new 6-room modern cottage, for $3700; now renting for $30 per month.
$3700. $3700.
Just think of it. On Jefferson, one block from Main st. and you looking for a bargain; within 2 blocks either way and in operation six of the best car lines in the city, including the Redondo line.

A 6-room house on 35th near Main st., for $2200; lot is 50x150 feet and it is worth $2400; this is splendid property, a few feet from Main st., when Main is widened, this property will double in value; this price will hold good for a few days only.

In the University district, a 5-room furnished cottage with all modern improvements, porcelain bath, instantaneous heater, nicely tinted walls, large screen porch, good barn, nice yard, flowers and shrubs; price has been cut $250 for quick sale.
T. L. O'BRIEN & CO.,
Jefferson and Main.
Home B5338, South 2278. 28

FOR SALE—
$4250.
Your choice of 1 6-room and 2 7-room houses, just completed, southwest, strictly modern, good terms.
$4400.
Handsome and artistic 6-room bungalow on West 29th st., just completed, oak floors, beam ceilings, paneled walls, living-room has unique blue-rock fireplace and built-in bookcases; sun parlor all glass; beautiful dining-room with a specially designed 9-foot buffet; will compare with any in a $12,000 or $15,000 house. The porch is built across the entire front with massive cement work, and cement foundation, under entire house. This is a decided bargain. Let us show it to you at once; good terms.
PIONEER INVESTMENT & TRUST CO.,
705-7-9-10 Grant Bldg.,
Fourth and Broadway.
Phones Ex. 277, Main 1583.

FOR SALE—
WESTLAKE. WESTLAKE. WESTLAKE.
$6000. $8000. $6000.
$6000—9-room, 1½-story bungalow, overlooking Westlake Park; first-class in every feature.
$8000—Kinney Heights, 8-room 2-story house, north front, lot 50x160, piped for furnace, close to W. Adams, sightliest location in the city; $500 cash, balance to suit.
BUNGALOW. BUNGALOW.
$250—$250—CASH—$250—$250.
$2800—Pasadena ave., large 7-room bungalow, in fine residence district, on Pasadena ave.; close in; large lot; closing an estate; $250 cash, balance easy.
CORNER. CORNER. CORNER.
$250—$250—CASH—$250—$250.
$4000—Large new 8-room house, near Washington st., lot 50x144, strictly up-to-date, $250 cash.
INCOME. INCOME.
$4500—Albany st., two cottages, completely furnished; income $46 monthly; gilt-edge small investment.
$7000—$7000—$7000.
$7000—Bungalow 7 rooms, overlooking Westlake Park, large lot; can handle on exceptionally easy terms; $500 cash, balance to suit.
$8000—Manhattan Place, 9-room 2-story, east front, lot 78x174; fine home.
$1700—Hooper ave., 4-room cottage, with bath and screen porch, lot 46x144; $300 cash, balance easy.
W. H. OBEAR, 408-9-10 O. T. Johnson Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway. J. T. Kelly, Mgr. House Dept., Main 1990, A6290. 28

FOR SALE—ORR-SESSIONS REALTY CO.
CHRISTMAS GIFT, ONE TO ENJOY FOR ALL TIME.
A HOME FOR THE WIFE, THE FAMILY AND YOU DO IT NOW.
Come and inspect our list of selected homes. From $2000 to the best. In most favored localities. Prices and terms to meet your needs. Here's a sample.
$2000—A bungalow, new and modern; Euclid Heights.
$2500—Echo Park way, 6 rooms, $200 down.
$3000—W. 57th. Bungalow and just right.
$3250—6 rooms, Moneta Tract. Only $600 cash.
$3250—47th street, 5 rooms and a beauty.
$4250—And never occupied, on Harvard Blvd.
$4250—A beautiful home on W. 29th.
$4500—On Lenox, 8 rooms; a bargain.
$4500—8 rooms, S. Flower. Easy terms.
$7000—A bargain on Kinney Heights.
$7000—W. 12th. Good and good value.
$7000—Normandie and as good as gold.
$7250—Oxford. A 9-room snap.
$8000—8 rooms on W. 11th. All right.
$9000—9 rooms on W. 4th. Fine place.
$9000—Beautiful St. Andrew's Place.
$10,000—W. 24th. Swell. Elegant.
$12,500—10 rooms on Magnolia. A HOME.
Come, tell us what you want, and the means at your command. We will match the two. That is just our line of business.
ORR-SESSIONS REALTY CO., 309-10-11 Henne Bldg. Main 6416; A6436. 29

FOR SALE—
MAGNIFICENT CLOSE-IN RESIDENCE.
AT A SACRIFICE.
One year ago, this residence was built by its present owner for a home, at a total cost of $13,000; the lot is 55x145; in the finest southwest residence section. There are 10 beautiful rooms. The lower floor plan consists of a spacious reception hall, music room, unusually large living-room, magnificent dining-room, 2 large pantries, kitchen, servant's room and servant's bath; a broad stairway leads to the second floor, which contains 3 large bedrooms and 2 bathrooms; there are oak floors, costly fixtures, and plate glass windows in every room; Rudd water heater, furnishing boiling water at every faucet, day or night, full length mirrors in bedrooms, cement cellar and furnace, large front and rear veranda with cement floor and steps, lot improved with lawn, shrubs, flowers and magnificent 30-year-old peppers; price $11,000 or $14,000 completely and beautifully furnished; unforeseen circumstances compel the sale, this offering an opportunity to secure a magnificent residence, $2000 under actual cost.
"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS CO.,
329 S. Hill st. Main 5307, Home Ex. 787.

FOR SALE—
NEW EIGHT-ROOM RESIDENCE.
$5300. $5300. $5300.
A beautifully located home, situated on a fine lot, 50x143½, artistically designed reception hall, commodious living-room, with paneled walls, beam ceilings, large plate-glass windows, magnificent mantel and open fireplace, paneled library, paneled dining-room, built-in buffet, with mantel, kitchen conveniently arranged, built-in spice closet, pantry contains bins, drawers and air-cooled closet; screen porch, double wash trays, wash-down toilet, cement cellar, furnace, cement sidewalks, electric fixtures, upstairs finished in white enamel, all floors laid after carpenter work was finished, scraped and polished; 4 bedrooms with large closets; this home is complete in all the small details, which go to make home life desirable.
M. E. OSWALD,
Cor. 46th and Los Angeles sts.
South 2646. Home B9194. 11

FOR SALE—
$4000. $4000.
BUNGALOW
$4000. $4000.
7 ROOMS, NEW, STRICTLY MODERN, INTERIOR ARTISTIC AND UNIQUE IN DESIGN; IN SOUTHWEST; NEAR TWO CITY CAR LINES. 60-FT. LOT, FACING WIDE INTERSECTING STREET. EASY TERMS. APPLY OWNER, 641 S. SPRING ST.
P.S.—HOME PLACE, NEVER BEEN OFFERED FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—
Who will get this bargain?
$2000 below value.
Must sell to close an estate.
Elegant, new, up to date 9-room house on N. Figueroa, close in; large spacious rooms; weathered oak finish. Hardwood floors. Price $5200; $2000 cash. LA PLAYA BEACH CO., 345 Douglas Bldg. Both Phones. 29

FOR SALE—100x242 FEET, IN NORTH PARK tract, Hollywood; with buildings; this is a very desirable location and a bargain; price $1300. F. P. CHAFFEE, 119 S. Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—
NOTICE.
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I must have cash by January 15 and will sacrifice the following good properties to get it.
$6000 (worth $6500,) two houses at 921 and 925 W. Jefferson st. Lot 65x130. Income $54 a month.
$21,000—Lot 80x144, on San Pedro st., house $19. It will sell for $500 a foot when paving is completed.
$50,000—Business block on E. First st., Nos. 233 and 235. Income $425 a month. Every piece of property that has been sold around it the past month has sold for more money than I am asking for mine. It is good property.
$20,000—The Hoover apartments at 3049 Hoover st.; 12 apartments leased to one party at the low rental of $150 per month.
$1500—That new cottage at 677 Moulton ave. near E. Main st. shops. Terms.
$2250—Either of those new 5-room cottages at 2746 and 2748 Eagle st. near Mott and E. Fourth st., Boyle Heights. Terms.
$2250—E. Vernon ave. and Hooper st., two-story, 6-room house. Awful cheap.
$4000—Large 10-room house at 1351 E. Vernon ave.; beautiful grounds. Lot 70x130 to alley.
Reader, I am the owner of the above and need money to promote other propositions and unless sold at once will not accept the above prices.
I also have several gilt-edge 7-per-cent. first mortgages that I would like to cash.
DEAL DIRECT WITH THE OWNER.
J. FRANK BOWEN,
Subdivider of the 15 big tracts,
31 439-40-41 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—
1819 HOBART BLVD.
THIS HIGH-CLASS, UP-TO-DATE, 9-ROOM RESIDENCE IS OFFERED AT $1900 BELOW ITS ACTUAL WORTH. OWNER HAS GONE BACK TO HIS NATIVE COUNTRY, AUSTRIA, AND WISHES TO MAKE QUICK SALE. LOT 50x161. ONE BLOCK NORTH OF WASHINGTON. SURROUNDED BY FINE RESIDENCES.
PRICE $7000. TERMS.
THE EMERSON REALTY CO.,
HOME 1149. 201-3 DELTA BLDG.
MAIN 4069.

FOR SALE—
$5750.
NEW MODERN 8-ROOM RESIDENCE.
Just completed, east front, hardwood floors, upstairs and down, weathered oak finish downstairs and white enamel upstairs; large paneled dining-room with beautiful built-in buffet, attractive living-room with beamed ceilings, brick mantel, bookcases, etc., 4 fine bedrooms, with closets, porcelain bath, 2 toilets, cabinet kitchen, bricked cellar, hot and cold water throughout, gas, fine electric fixtures, front and back stairs, airing deck, porcelain wash tray, fine neighborhood, very best car service; lot 50x150; $1500 cash and about $50 a month.
F. A. RUDROW, with
HERON & DE LA VERGNE,
300 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—
A REMARKABLE BARGAIN
IN A 2-STORY HOUSE
OF 8 ROOMS,
ON S. MAIN ST.,
NEAR 28TH ST.
LOT 50x130.
New and thoroughly modern, hardwood floors, built-in buffet, handsome mantel and fireplace, 2 toilets, cellar, piped for heat, beautiful lawn and flowers and auto shed.
Lot is worth $3500 and house cost $3750 to build.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
1 213 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—
$2200—HIGHLAND PARK—$2200.
SNAP—MOUNTAIN VIEW—SNAP.
THIS EXCELLENT BUNGALOW of 6 large rooms is on a large choice lot, 100x150, with east front and commands a view of city, mountains and valleys; excelled no place in America; still, in walking distance of Occidental College and cars, near new car line soon to build, is an ideal close in country home worth $3500; however, owner is leaving and must sell quick, so will sacrifice at $2200; about ½ cash and balance to suit buyer. A rare bargain. Take Garvanza car (University line) and look for big blue sign "Highland Park," on our office at Avenue 58. HOME REALTY CO., 5601 Monte Vista st. E. 615; C9228. Don't delay, come today.

FOR SALE—
5-room modern cottage on W. 36th near Vermont; lot 50x135; 12 varieties of fruit, lawn, flowers, etc.; price $2700, $800 down, balance easy.
6-room modern cottage, lot 50x136, Flemish oak finish, hardwood floors, stationary tubs, mantel, fireplace, sideboard, in fact, every convenience; bedrooms 12x12; price $4500, $600 down, balance easy.
8-room modern house, lot 50x135, on W. 24th; fine porch, front and rear, second floor 2 toilets, large porch, first floor hardwood floors; finest buy in Los Angeles, $6000, $500 down, balance easy.
CHAS. L. SAVAGE, 421 Grosse Bldg. 'Phone Broadway 5616.
Branch office, 1417 W. WASHINGTON ST. 'Phone West 4366. 28

FOR SALE—
HERE IS A BARGAIN WORTH INVESTIGATING.
$7300.
EAST FRONT ON VALENCIA, BETWEEN 9TH AND 10TH STREETS.
Elegant 10-room house and in a locality that insures rapid advance in value, as soon work is begun on the $1,000,000 CATHEDRAL that is to be built near this property the coming year. Buy this and make $3000 to $4000 inside of eighteen months. Place will rent for at least $55 per month. Have option and can deliver. W. C. NORMAN & CO., 519 Fay Bldg. Home A1338.

FOR SALE—
THESE ARE BARGAINS.
$1050—3-room neat new cottage and lot 50x130 to alley; $200 down and $10 per month.
$1400—Small house, plastered, lot is 40-foot front, graded street, cement walk, sewer, nice retaining wall; this is in walking distance on high ground.
$900—Nicely located in Boyle Heights, 3-room house and lot 50x150, all furnished.
$850—2-room new house and lot 40x150 feet, close to Hollenbeck Park, on high ground.
$1050—400 down, easy terms, 4-room house and lot 41x125 feet, located on E. 47th st.
BOWMAN REAL ESTATE CO., 603 Laughlin Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—
WHY PAY RENT
WHEN $100 GETS A COSY
MODERN COTTAGE?
$1850 buys a 5-room modern cottage; cosy, neat and homelike; within 10 minutes' ride of the business center of the city. A sightly desirable and attractive home on the exceptionally easy terms of $100 cash and $25 a month, including interest; a snap.
A. W. ROSS,
430-31 BRADBURY BLDG. L.A.R.B.
GEO. J. LANGSDALE, Mgr. House Dept. 28

FOR SALE—
NEAR 29TH AND WESTERN.
$4000—6-room cottage, bungalow, almost completed, just ready for purchaser to select the small details such as tinting, fixtures, etc.; oak floors, built in buffet and bookcases, with lead-glass doors and writing desk, beam ceilings and paneled walls, finished in slash grained Oregon pine; 2 bedrooms, den; 40-foot porch on north and east sides; lot 50x130; here is a chance to get something desirable for your money.
ROBERT MITCHELL CO.,
Fifth floor Collins Bldg., 313 W. 3rd st. 28

FOR SALE—
SPLENDID RESIDENCE,
HALLDALE AND 20TH ST.
LARGE CORNER LOT.
One of the most desirable modern houses in the city; an architectural beauty; an ideal interior; the fixtures are of the massive mission style and the whole interior is in harmony with them; 7 rooms, well polished hardwood floors, magnificent built-in buffet, heavy beamed ceilings and paneled dining-room. The house contains every convenience. It will appeal to your artistic sense and your love of comfort; price $6250; only $1500 cash required.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
29 213 West Third st.

FOR SALE—$3600; 5 ROOMS, MODERN, 40x135, S.W., near Moneta, only $500 down. M. DAVISON & SON, 304 Wilcox Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—
You can save yourself here, it costs you nothing to call and examine my 3-story, 4 closets, hall and bathroom, upstairs parlor, reception hall, library, dining-room, pantry and kitchen, downstairs, beam ceilings and paneling in halls, library, dining-room; also has seats, bookcases, writing desk, buffet and mantel built-in, polished oak floors, has gas and electricity throughout, has furnace and gas for heating; auto barn 14x20; lot 50x185, south front, will also sell my furniture, all new and good, rather than pack and move same; this place will be sold very cheap; location 1451 Dana blvd., Adams and 27th sts.; none better in city. Phone HOME 22943; look this up, a bargain.

FOR SALE—30 NEW HOUSES, $250 CASH, $25 monthly; prices $1900 to $3000; 4, 5 and 6-room cottages on the most attractive streets in the city; directly south on car line, 5 minute service; half way to city limits. Each one different; plastered throughout, painting and tinting guaranteed; everything modern and details perfected; front and screen porches, bathroom, porcelain plumbing, pantry, dish closet, clothes closets, cabinets, [illegible] fireplace and mantel; lots fenced, cement walks and street work finished; school within 4 blocks. LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO., owners, 237 S. Hill. Main 2248; A8113.

FOR SALE—
SOUTHWEST BUNGALOW BARGAIN.
We can deliver a thoroughly modern and very artistic 6-room bungalow, splendidly located, for $3700, $500 cash, $35 monthly, including interest; it is finished in mission style, has pretty fireplace, attractive buffet, fine bath, best plumbing, cement cellar; it is in the W. Adams section, convenient to cars, and worth at least $200 more.
"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS CO.,
329 S. Hill st. Main 5307. Home Ex. 787.

FOR SALE—
$2500.
5-room, new, strictly modern house, large rooms, near car line, fine location; lot [illegible] to alley; north front; terms good.
$3000.
5-room, strictly modern, near car line, close in; lot 40x165; this is a bargain for 1-4 cash. No. 1 location.
$3500.
Large new 6-room cottage, every improvement; lot 50x135 in first-class location, southwest, all new surroundings; terms [illegible] many others, good buys. See [illegible] HOPKINS, 4302 Vermont ave.

FOR SALE—
WHY
Not let us build for you?
Two hundred and eighteen families
PAY
us for their homes the same as
RENT.
Be your own landlord.
LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO.,
237 South Hill st.
Paid up capital and surplus, [illegible]

FOR SALE—
We build houses and bungalows on installments. Apply to our building architect department for terms and particulars.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
29 213 West Third st.

FOR SALE—
HOMES.
HOMES.
IT WILL PAY YOU TO LOOK OVER OUR LARGE LIST OF MODERN HOUSES. WE CAN SUIT YOU IN PRICES, SIZES, TERMS AND LOCATIONS.
GUSTAV THOMA[illegible]
30 451½ South [illegible]

FOR SALE—
A beautiful 6-room bungalow, W. Adams district, completely furnished, only [illegible]
7-room house, 2828 Brighton ave., [illegible]
If you want a real bargain in the southwest, in a home of from 5 to 9 rooms, see us, we handle nothing but snaps.
THE J. E. PUGH REALTY CO.,
221 O. T. Johnson Bldg.
Phone A5771. 1

FOR SALE—
W. 27TH NEAR ROMEO ST.
Modern 6-room bungalow, hardwood floors, handsome buffet, mantel and fireplace, large rooms, beautiful lawn and flowers, good barn; this is a very attractive home and very cheap; price $4000; terms $1500 cash, balance to suit. (478.)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
28 213 West Third st.

FOR SALE—
$4500. TERMS.
A beautiful 9-room residence just off Figueroa, on 29th st., facing south, on a wide street, surrounded by finest homes in Los Angeles; every modern convenience; the best house in town for the money.
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
Est. 1885. Members L. A. Realty Board.
29 216-218 W. Second.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER.
A snap on Grand ave. near Jefferson; 6-room modern cottage with large reception hall, cove ceilings, artistic tinting, gas, electricity, large screen porch, [illegible] heater, good barn, chicken yard, [illegible] profusion; lot 45x210; lot is worth [illegible] cottage cannot be built for $1800; [illegible] for quick sale; this property is within [illegible] of Jefferson where the big depot will be located.
OWNER, 3633 Grand ave. 1

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN, SOUTHWEST, new cottage, 5 rooms and large reception hall, hardwood floors throughout, buffet, cabinet, mantel, mission fixtures and built-in bookcases, china closet, seat, 3 bay windows, screen porch and outside laundry with cement floor, cement steps and walks; price for a few days, $3300, $500 cash, easy terms; owner leaving city, must sell by [illegible] PITTSBURGH REAL ESTATE CO., [illegible] Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
A neat little home of
5 ROOMS,
for $2150; close in.
ONLY $200 DOWN.
AND $20 MONTH.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
29 213 West Third st.

FOR SALE—
HOLIDAY BARGAIN.
AN EIGHT-ROOM CORNER RESIDENCE NORTH OF ADAMS ST. THE BLOCK BUILT UP WITH MODERN TWO-STORY DWELLINGS.
THINK OF IT, $5000.
ONE-HALF CASH.
C. P. DEYOE, 302 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—
ON SAN PEDRO ST.
NEAR 38TH ST.
$2300—
New and modern 5-room cottage, on lot [illegible] 115; terms $400 cash and $25 month; [illegible] extraordinary good bargain.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
28 213 West Third st.

FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST, BEAUTIFUL 5-room bungalow, large rooms, oak floors, elegant built-in buffet, bookcases and writing desk, massive fireplace, exceptionally nice fixtures, 3 bedrooms, finished in white, cabinet kitchen, screen porch, laundry tubs, 50-foot fenced [illegible] lot; price $4250, terms. PITTSBURGH REAL ESTATE CO., 311-315 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.
Nine rooms; modern; No. [illegible] Lake st., between Seventh and Eighth sts.; large lot, fine lawn; not a new, but thoroughly modern house.
Price—$8000.
Get terms at office.
THE M'CARTHY CO., 203 N. Broadway.
Phones—Main 1302, Home 8737.

FOR SALE—
NEW AND MODERN
5-ROOM COTTAGE;
3 MINUTES [illegible]
$200 cash and $20 per month.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
29 213 West Third st.

FOR SALE—W. J. POWER & [illegible]
Fine modern 6-room cottage, [illegible] located on a wide, improved street, [illegible] nice lawn, high elevation, [illegible] view, $3250, $600 down, easy [illegible] sider clear lot and some cash [illegible] ment.
142 S. BROADWAY. Home [illegible]

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.
Large 2-story 9-room house, modern, [illegible] 150, fine elevation, 4 feet above [illegible] granite retaining wall, fine lawn, [illegible] fruit and shade trees; first-class neighborhood. 1231 CARROLL AVE. Take [illegible] Heights car. Price only $4800; [illegible]

FOR SALE—9-ROOM HOUSE ON [illegible] lot, with or without furniture, good location, ready to occupy, near Chester Place; good home, bargain investment, special inducement to quick buyer.
S. V. LANDT,
Room 130, Stimson Block.

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—TO LOT INVESTORS, JEFFERSON St. Park lots will make you big profits; $625 and up, 1-4 down. [illegible] Jefferson and Arlington; maps and particulars at our office. ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO., AGENTS, 119 Mer. Trust Bldg. Main 2223.

FOR SALE—NORTHWEST CORNER WOODward and Barrow sts. and southeast corner E. First and Dakota, both are good for small business or cottages, will sell cheap. Home phone 41146, or 319 N. SARATOGA.

FOR SALE—FINE LOT ON W. ADAMS near Figueroa, 100x255, adjoining a $60,000 residence and half block from Chester Place; price $10,000, cash $3000. See MRS. COOPER, Sole Agent, 711 Delta Bldg. [illegible]

FOR SALE—SNAP LOT, BLOCK FROM Wilshire blvd. on 6th st. car, near Western, $1150. PHONE [illegible]

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—You can save yourself here, it costs you nothing to call and examine my 2-story, new and modern residence, 3 large chambers, 4 closets, hall and bathroom, upstair parlor, reception hall, library, dining-room, pantry and kitchen, downstairs, beam ceiling and paneling in halls, library, dining-room; also has seats, bookcases, writing desk, buffet and mantel built-in, polished oak floors, has gas and electricity throughout, has furnace and gas for heating; auto barn 16x20; lot 50x135, south front, will also sell my furniture, all new and good, rather than pack and move same; this place will be sold very cheap; location 1451 Dana blvd., Adams and 27th sts.; none better in city. Phone HOME 22362; look this up, a bargain. 28

FOR SALE—30 NEW HOUSES, $350 CASH, $25 monthly; prices $2600 to $3000; 4, 5 and 6 room cottages on the most attractive street in the city; directly south on car line, 5 minute service; half way to city limits. Each one different; plastered throughout, painting and tinting guaranteed; everything modern and details perfected; front and screen porches, bathroom, porcelain plumbing, pantry, china closet, clothes closets, cabinets, bins, shelving, fireplace and mantel; lots fenced, cement walks and street work finished; school within 4 blocks. LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO., owners, 337 S. Hill. Main 2248; A6118.

FOR SALE—

SOUTHWEST BUNGALOW BARGAIN.

We can deliver a thoroughly modern and very artistic 6-room bungalow, splendidly located, for $3700, $500 cash, $35 monthly, including interest; it is finished in mission style, has pretty fireplace, attractive buffet, fine bath, best plumbing, cement cellar; it is in the W. Adams section, convenient to cars, and worth at least $500 more.

"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS CO.,
329 S. Hill st. Main 9307, Home Ex. 767.

FOR SALE—

$3600.

5-room, new, strictly modern house, large rooms, near car line, fine location; lot 40x135 to alley; north front; terms good.

$3000.

5-room, strictly modern, near car line, close in; lot 40x135; this is a bargain for 1-2 cash. No. 1 location.

$3500.

Large new 6-room cottage, every improvement; lot 50x135 in first-class location, southwest, all new surroundings; terms good and many others, good buys. See CROSBY & HOPKINS, 4302 Vermont ave. 28

FOR SALE—

WHY
Not let us build for you?
Two hundred and eighteen families
PAY
us for their homes the same as
RENT.
Be your own landlord.
LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO.,
337 South Hill st.
Paid up capital and surplus, $720,000.

FOR SALE—We build houses and bungalows on installments. Apply to our building architect department for terms and particulars. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st. 29

FOR SALE—

HOMES.

HOMES.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO LOOK OVER OUR LARGE LIST OF MODERN HOUSES. WE CAN SUIT YOU IN PRICES, SIZES, TERMS AND LOCATIONS.

GUSTAV THOMAS, 451½ South Main. 28

FOR SALE—A beautiful 6-room bungalow, W. Adams district, completely furnished, only $4500.

7-room house, 2628 Brighton ave., only $4250.

If you want a real bargain in the southwest, in a house of from 5 to 9 rooms, see us, we handle nothing but snaps.

THE J. E. PUGH REALTY CO., 221 O. T. Johnson Bldg. Phone A5771.

FOR SALE—W. 27TH NEAR ROMEO ST.

Modern 6-room bungalow, hardwood floors, handsome buffet, mantel and fireplace, large rooms, beautiful lawn and flowers, good barn; this is a very attractive home and very cheap; price $4000; terms $1500 cash, balance to suit. (471.) JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st.

FOR SALE—$4500, TERMS.

A beautiful 8-room residence just off Figueroa on 28th st., facing south, down a wide street, surrounded by finest homes in Los Angeles; every modern convenience and the best house in town for the money. EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Est. 1885. Members L. A. Realty Board. 29 216-218 W. Second.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER. A snap on Grand ave. near Jefferson, 8-room modern cottage with large reception hall, cove ceilings, artistic tinting, gas and electricity, large screen porch, instantaneous heater, good barn, chicken yard, flowers in profusion; lot 45x150; lot is worth $2000 and cottage cannot be built for $1800; price $3800 for quick sale; this property is within a block of Jefferson where the big depot will be located. OWNER, 3622 Grand ave. 28

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN, SOUTHWEST, new cottage, 6 rooms and large reception hall, hardwood floors throughout, beautiful cabinet, mantel, mission fixtures and fine bookcases, china closet, seat, 2 bay windows, screen porch and outside laundry with cement floor, cement steps and walks; price for a few days, $3200, $500 cash, easy payments; owner leaving city, must sell by Jan. 1. PITTSBURGH REAL ESTATE CO., 221-5 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—A neat little home of 5 ROOMS, for $2100; close in. ONLY $200 DOWN AND $20 MONTH. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st.

FOR SALE—HOLIDAY BARGAIN. AN EIGHT-ROOM CORNER RESIDENCE NORTH OF ADAMS ST. THE ENTIRE BLOCK BUILT UP WITH MODERN TWO-STORY DWELLINGS. THINK OF IT, $5000, ONE-HALF CASH. C. P. DEYOE, 206 LAUGHLIN BLDG. 29

FOR SALE—ON SAN PEDRO ST. NEAR 38TH ST. New and modern 5-room cottage, on lot 40x...; terms $400 cash and $25 month; this is an extraordinary good bargain. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st.

FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST, BEAUTIFUL 6-room bungalow, large rooms, finest oak floors, elegant built-in buffet, bookcases and seats, ... nice fixtures, 3 bedrooms and bath, white, cabinet kitchen, screen porch, laundry tubs, 50-foot fenced and terraced lot; price $4250, terms. PITTSBURGH REAL ESTATE CO., 221-215 Laughlin Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—WESTLAKE RESIDENCE. Nine rooms; modern; No. 726 Lake st., between Seventh and Eighth sts.; large lot; fine ...; not a new, but thoroughly modern place; price $6000; terms at office. THE McCARTHY CO., 203 N. Broadway. Home—Main 1302, Home 8737.

FOR SALE—NEW AND MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, 2 MINUTES ON CARS, ONLY $2000. $... cash and $20 per month. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st.

FOR SALE—W. J. POWER & CO. ... modern 6-room cottage, Boyle Heights, ... on a wide, improved street, large lot, lawn, high elevation, pure air, excellent ...; $2250, $500 down, easy terms; will consider clear lot and some cash as first payment. ... BROADWAY. Home A1096, Main 2561. 28

FOR SALE—BARGAIN. ... 2-story 8-room house, modern, lot 50x... fine elevation, 4 feet above sidewalk; ... retaining wall, fine lawn, shrubbery, and shade trees; first-class neighborhood; 2331 CARROLL AVE. Take Angeleno Heights car. Price only $4500; well worth ...

FOR SALE—9 ROOM HOUSE ON 50 FOOT lot with or without furniture, good condition, ready to occupy, near Chester Place; home, bargain investment, special inducement to quick buyer. S. V. LANDT, Room 130, Stimson Block.

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Classified Liners.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

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IN HIGH GRADE LOTS
BUY ONE OF THESE.

You cannot go astray in buying from "Althouse." The name is equivalent to integrity and reliability. Any one of the following will make a splendid buy—either for ideal home or money-making purposes.

Gramercy Place, east front, close to new 6th st. car line	$1250
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Gramercy Place, close to 5th st., corner	$1600
St. Andrews Place, near 5th st., corner	$1700
Manhattan Place, west front	$1750
Gramercy Place, close to car	$1800
Oxford near 6th	$1800
St. Andrews Place, east front, near 5th	$1900
St. Andrews Place, corner 4th, near car	$2000
Western ave., west front, near 6th	$2100
Kingsley Drive, near 5th	$2150
Manhattan near Wilshire	$2250
Oxford near 6th	$2450
Manhattan next to Wilshire	$2600
Kingsley Drive, east front	$2650
Jasmine, east front, near 5th	$2850
Hobart Blvd., near 6th	$3000
N.W. corner Linden and Kingsley	$3200
Jasmine, west front, near 5th	$3500
Harvard Blvd., east front, near 6th	$3850
Jasmine, east front, near 5th	$3600
Kingsley Drive, east front, near 6th	$4000
Jasmine, corner 6th	$4875
Jasmine, east front, highest lot off Wilshire	$5000
Wilshire, fine corner	$5250
Wilshire Blvd., finest N.W. corner	$9000
Jasmine corner 6th	$11,000
Wilshire and Western	$11,000

ALTHOUSE BROS.,
Members L. A. Realty Board,
224 Laughlin Bldg.
Main 263—Home Ex. 263. 28

FOR SALE—

LOT IN WESTMINSTER SQUARE NOW.

THE CHOICEST TRACT IN THE CITY.

WE CONFIDENTLY MAKE THE ASSERTION THAT THERE IS NOT ANOTHER RESIDENCE TRACT IN THE CITY SURPASSING WESTMINSTER SQUARE IN NATURAL BEAUTY, DESIRABLE LOCATION AND EXCELLENCE OF IMPROVEMENTS. LOCATED AT THE CORNER OF 10TH AND WESTERN AVES. HIGH ABOVE FOGS AND SMOKE, CLOSE TO THE BUSINESS CENTER AND AFFORDING A MAGNIFICENT VIEW. COSTLY IMPROVEMENTS ARE BEING PLACED—75-FT STREETS ADORNED WITH PALMS AND ORNAMENTAL TREES. TWO BEAUTIFUL HOMES ARE ALMOST COMPLETED AND OTHERS ARE BEING PLANNED. THE CAR LINE WILL RUN THROUGH THE TRACT IN A VERY SHORT TIME, WHICH WILL CAUSE THE PRICE OF LOTS TO RAPIDLY ADVANCE. WE HAVE NEVER BEFORE PLACED A PROPOSITION ON THE MARKET WHICH HAS MET WITH SUCH SUCCESS. ONE MAN BOUGHT SEVEN LOTS. ANOTHER THREE. THERE MUST BE REASONS FOR THIS FAVORABLE PUBLIC OPINION. YOU WILL MAKE A MISTAKE IF YOU DO NOT VISIT THE TRACT AND FIND OUT THE REASONS FOR YOURSELF. CONVEYANCES WAITING AT OUR OFFICE TO TAKE YOU OUT ANY TIME. GO TODAY.

ALTHOUSE BROS.,
MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD,
224 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
MAIN 263.
HOME EX. 263.

FOR SALE—SNAPS IN VACANT LOTS.

$...—40x135 to alley, Sixth ave., south of Jefferson st., 1-4 cash, west front.

$...—40x135 to alley, 7th ave., 1-2 block south of Jefferson st., 1-4 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, 5th ave., 1-2 block north of Jefferson st., 1-4 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, 5th ave., 1-2 block south of Jefferson st., 1-4 cash, west front.

$...—40x135 to alley, 4th ave., 1-2 block south of Jefferson st., 1-4 cash, east front.

$...—40x135 to alley, on Jefferson st., 1-2 best buy on Jefferson.

$...—40x132 to alley, on 47th st., east of Vermont ave., 1-4 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, Toluca st., 1-2 block from First, 1-2 cash, including street work.

$...—50x134, 47th st., east of Vermont, 1-4 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, 46th st., east of Vermont, 1-4 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, lot 11, block E, West Park tract, 1-2 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, 47th st., corner of San ..., 1-4 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, Vernon, east of Vermont, business lot, 1-4 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, Vermont ave., bet. 46th and 47th, business lot, 1-4 cash.

$...—40x135 to alley, Vermont ave., bet. 46th and 47th, business lot, 1-4 cash.

$...—40x120 to alley, Douglas, 1-2 block north of ..., 1-3 cash.

$...—50x150, S.W. corner 23rd and 9th ave., 1-3 cash.

$...—40x150, W. 28th near Hoover, 1-2 cash.

$...—50x125 to alley on Jefferson st., 1-2 cash, pick-up.

$...—... feet on West 1st and 2nd st., a snap, close in.

$...—150x150, 2nd and Hope, facing 3 streets, 2 corners.

...TILER & COMPANY, owners, 206-208 Laughlin Bldg., 323 S. Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—

Do you know I'm selling my lots fast? It's a fact. A few days ago a man from ... said to me, "McGrath, I'm going to have you prove that 25 to 50 per cent. less than ... near your tract." I took him out. ... Well, I should say! He bought ... at $400 each. Then he said, "How ... for cash?" When I told him "10 per cent. off," he said, "Well, that's $40. Just make the deed."

A man from Iowa went out with me and bought four. Another from San Francisco bought three and paid cash.

... I tell you these lots are value. I'm going to slip a $50 advance onto all of the lots on Monday, January 7th.

$325. $350.

$25 Cash. $10 Monthly.
Buys a big lot or 1-4 acre.
VERMONT HEIGHTS.

The above prices include all the street work, cement walks, curbs, two car lines to the property, third now building.

Please don't come in and say, "Move this property at Grand ave. and ... street?" because it isn't. If it was ... would be that much a foot and mine ... worth that in a couple of years. ... you will come in, I'll give you all information and free tickets to see Vermont Heights.

WARREN F. McGRATH, Tract Manager for STRONG & DICKINSON, N. W. Corner 2d and Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—

BUILDING SITES
IN THE CITY OF STOCKTON.
UNPRECEDENTED OPPORTUNITY,
FOR
BUILDER AND INVESTOR.
HOUSES SELL BEFORE COMPLETED.
WOULD RENT FOR DOUBLE VALUE.
NONE FOR SALE OR RENT.
ADDRESS FOR FULL INFORMATION
WESTLAKE PARK CO.,
... E. MAIN ST., STOCKTON, CAL.
... HARRELL, HOTEL ANGELUS, L. A.

FOR SALE—

HIGH SIGHTLY LOT,
NEAR VERMONT AVENUE,
$375.

If you want a nice building lot, where the street improvements are completed and ... where two electric lines are at your door; where you can have the large ... and pure sparkling water right at your door; where you can have the large ... lot 50x160 to an alley all your own, and where terms are so easy that the increase in value will more than equal the payments you make, come in and see us at once, we will sell it to the first purchaser who comes with a small payment for $375 on easy terms. There's money in this for you.

EMIL FIRTH,
... 4TH ST., BET. BROADWAY AND HILL ST.
HOME A5105. MAIN 2543.

FOR SALE—CHOICE LOTS IN WILSHIRE district, cheap; no agents. PHONE ... 3

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—

HOMESEEKERS AND INVESTORS!

If you desire to buy a beautifully situated lot upon which to build a home for yourself or for profitable investment for a modest price, come and see what we have to offer you.

AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY.

Lots in desirable localities have heretofore been placed on the market at prices prohibitive to persons of limited means, with the result that they have been compelled to locate on the low-lying tracts, where they are subjected to the heavy fogs and chilly atmosphere of the evenings.

To those who prefer higher ground, we believe the beautiful Sawyer mesa will appeal with its magnificent mountain views, which can never be obstructed, unexcelled car facilities and moderate prices.

ALL MODERN CONVENIENCES, OF COURSE.

But call and see for yourself. Take Griffin avenue car going north on Spring st. and get off at the terminus, which is in the center of the tract. Agent on premises. 28

FOR SALE—

SYNDICATE.

Your present capital—Large though it may be—won't go far in the real estate deals which are making millionaires here in Los Angeles.

Pool your money with us—let us use our combined capital to buy at wholesale and sell at retail.

In this manner we have developed one city and several towns; syndicated and sold over 28,000 lots in the last three years. Every bank in Southern California knows we are the largest realty concern in the west.

All our clients in every syndicate have made from 30 to 150 per cent. profits. We will make as much, or more, for you in our new syndicate just forming.

Send for the facts about it RIGHT NOW.

WALTER GOULD LINCOLN,
Manager Investment Department,
606-610 SOUTH SPRING ST.
Both Phones Ex. 56.

FOR SALE—

THE FULMER TRACT.
THE FULMER TRACT.
IN WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
IN WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
LOW-PRICED RESIDENCE LOTS.

FOR CLOSE IN RESIDENCE LOTS, SEE OUR HIGH GRADE TRACT, FRONTING ON WILSHIRE PLACE. IT'S THE NEAREST IN PROPERTY IN THE PEERLESS WEST END. THE BEAUTIFUL "FULMER TRACT." A MATCHLESS SUBDIVISION, CLOSE TO CARS AND FINE PARKS, ON HIGH GROUND. SUPERB VIEW. LARGE LOTS. FINEST IMPROVEMENTS; ONLY TEN MINUTES FROM BROADWAY. FULMER TRACT LOTS ARE CHEAP. PRICES $1500 TO $2500. EASY TERMS. FINEST BUY NEAR WESTLAKE; TAKE CARS TO 7TH AND HOOVER, GO WEST TO 7TH AND VERMONT. BRANCH OFFICE OPEN DAILY.

ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO., SOLE AGENTS, 119 Mer. Trust Bldg. A9242, Main 3232. 28

FOR SALE—

NOTICE!
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Take them while they last
at
$50 down and $10 a month. Only a few lots left in my Boyle Heights Tract, at corner of E. Fourth and Mott sts., a few blocks east of Hollenbeck Park.

In order to close them out, I offer the liberal terms as per above.

I also have two new modern 5-room cottages on same tract that I will sell on installments.

DEAL DIRECT WITH THE OWNER.

J. FRANK BOWEN,
Subdivider of the 15 Big Tracts,
439-40-41 Douglas Bldg.
Both Phones 2472. 31

FOR SALE—

BARGAINS.

50x162—Westmoreland Blvd., $5000 restrictions, $3100.

50x135—Near 8th and Hoover; a snap; $2000.

50x135—Near 8th and Westmoreland ave., $1875.

The above are all under the market. Owners need money and are willing to sacrifice. Good terms.

F. A. RUDROW, with Heron & De La Vergne, 300 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—

BUILDERS ATTENTION.
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A SPECIAL OFFERING TO BUILDERS OF BUNGALOWS. TWENTY SPLENDID BUILDING LOTS NEAR AGRICULTURAL PARK. PRICE EXTREMELY LOW AND YOUR OWN TERMS. AN ENTIRE BLOCK ON BOTH SIDES OF THE STREET. NEIGHBORHOOD WELL IMPROVED. CLOSE TO CAR LINE. COME IN AT ONCE.

R. E. IBBETSON & CO.,
A2410—MAIN 1380. 310 L. A. TRUST BLDG. 28

FOR SALE—

$1200—BARGAIN FOR CASH—$1200.

Fine north front lot on Malcolmson, between Main and Moneta. This is $200 under the market.

PIONEER INV. & TRUST CO.,
705-7-9-10 Grant Bldg.,
28 4th and Broadway.

FOR SALE.

$450—VERMONT AVENUE LOT—$450.

Biggest bargain on that popular avenue, soon to be boulevarded, 50x162 to wide alley, worth double. Terms easy to handle. Monthly payments if desired. You get your money back double in short time. All street improvements in and paid for. Act quickly if you want this. On two electric lines.

PRICE $450.
EMIL FIRTH (OWNER,)
313 WEST FOURTH ST., BET. BROADWAY AND HILL ST.
PHONES: HOME A5105, MAIN 2543.

FOR SALE—

ONLY $1875 REQUIRED

to buy elegant 60-foot double front lot between 11th and 12th and Grand View and Hoover sts., in the swell Palm Place tract; price $3375, balance 2 years, 6 per cent. Owner, MARSHUTZ, 133 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—$2500, ONE-HALF CASH.

One of the best building sites in Los Angeles, 50x150 to alley, three feet above grade, east front and only vacant lot; a block of beautiful homes and only lot in vicinity without building restrictions. Situated on La Salle between Adams and 27th sts. Fine location for flats or other purposes.

EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
Est. 1885. 216-218 W. Second.
Members L. A. Realty Board. 30

FOR SALE—$9000, ONE-HALF CASH.

The best buy on Pico st., S.W. corner; lot 150x190 to alley. S.E. corner just sold for $15,000. This must be sold to close an estate in the east. No doubt but what will sell at profit of $3000 within ninety days.

EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
Est. 1885. 216-218 W. Second st.
Members L. A. Realty Board. 30

FOR SALE—LOTS.

We have a lot at a bargain in the Westlake district; one at a bargain on Arlington Heights; one at a bargain on Kinney Heights; one at a bargain on West Adams Heights; one at a bargain in the Westmoreland tract; one at a bargain in Wilshire blvd.; one at a bargain in Boyle Heights; one at a bargain in Hollywood. WISLER, MOORE & CO., 233 S. Hill st. 28

FOR SALE—

$600—On Halldale, 45x128 to alley.
$650—On Denker; cars one block.
$750—On Halldale, corner near cars.
$850—On Normandie, 50x140 to alley.
$1000—On 46th st., work done.
$1200—On 47th, 50x222; great bargain.
$1800—On 46th, more than 1-4 acre, near Vermont ave.; this is a bargain. BOSBY & HOPKINS, 4302 Vermont ave. 28

FOR SALE—SPECIAL SALE—OWNER GOING away. A lot near Wilshire Blvd., on New Sixth-st. car line. Terms reasonable. Call phone B2069. Or address G, box 163, TIMES OFFICE. 31

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—INSIDE CITY LIMITS.

$450, easy terms, greatest snap on the market, nothing as good at this price anywhere; few fine level lots at this price in very fine tract, only 15 minutes out on best car line. 5c fare, oiled streets, cement curbs, walks; city water, special discount for all, ½ or 1-4 cash, until Jan. 1. See owner, J. FRANK BOWEN, 439-40-41 Douglas Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—

—$775—
BOMER NEAR MONETA.
—50x135—
NORTH FRONT.
CONWAY & KESSLER,
28 405-07 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—75 ACRE TRACT WITHIN LOS Angeles city limits, living springs, plenty of water on the tract. Rapid improvements going on all around the tract; splendid chance for subdivision.

S. V. LANDT,
Room 130, Stimson Block. 29

FOR SALE—

West Seventh street, 150x160, corner east of Westlake Park, only $275 per foot. Price goes to $350 after January 1st. O. A. VICKREY & CO., 308 S. Hill. 29

FOR SALE—

MAIN STREET.

50x140 facing 41st street; the best buy on the street. Owner must sell. Price $1800.

"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS CO.,
329 S. Hill st. Main 9307; Home Ex. 767. 30

FOR SALE—CLOSE-IN LOT AT A BARGAIN; easy walking distance west; the best lot in the neighborhood at the lowest price; $1500 below the market value, if sold before January 1; east front; extended view; suitable for apartment-house and a good speculation. OWNER, Main 2680. 29

FOR SALE—YOUR OPPORTUNITY. PRICES WILL ADVANCE.

After January 1st in South Rowland Heights 25 per cent. The only tract in center of Los Angeles. Prices $750 and up. Profit by the advance. ROBT. M. ALLAN, 636 Pac. Elec. Bldg. Home F7304; Main 2302. 28

FOR SALE—TWO SNAPS.

$150 under the market, two fine lots between Stevenson and Sixth, Boyle Heights; price $650 and $750 for corner; cheapest property in good neighborhood; will take part cash. Address P, box 184, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—THE GREATEST BARGAIN IN a high grade property in the whole southwest is surely the northwest corner of Figueroa and Marshall, 100x150, price for IMMEDIATE SALE $4000, about half cash. Owner, 601 CIT. NAT. BANK BLDG. Home 5085. 29

FOR SALE—FINE TERRACED LOTS IN Grand View Terrace, close to car lines and new car shops; prices $500, easy terms. Best investment on the market. Will double in a year. Buy one. I. H. PRESTON, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—$1200, 2 FINE LOTS, CORNER and lot adjoining, 50x150 each, 2 blocks from car line, between Bimini Baths and Melrose ave., east fronts, $200 cash, balance $20 per month or will sell separate. CLARK, 702 S. Spring. 28

FOR SALE—

$2100—Near Pico, near Bonnie Brae, 50x136, bargain.
A7866. YOUNG & ADAMS,
Broadway 2915. 354 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—

$2700—Gramercy near 16th st.
60x178 feet, bargain.
A7866. YOUNG & ADAMS,
Broadway 2915. 354 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—

$3000—Near Westlake near
Westmoreland, 50x135.
A7866. YOUNG & ADAMS,
Broadway 2915. 354 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—

$3600—For corner 54x128,
near Vermont and 9th.
A7866. YOUNG & ADAMS,
Broadway 2915. 354 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—

$3600—For apartment corner
near Figueroa and 28th st.
A7866. YOUNG & ADAMS,
Broadway 2915. 354 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—CHOICE LOTS IN LA MOYNE Terraces, adjoining Mount Washington, close to car line; prices $500 up, easy terms. Building restrictions. Buy one today. I. H. PRESTON, 608 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—FINE LOT ON RICE AVE., 50 ft. frontage, near Figueroa, for $725, if sold by January 1st; 1-2 cash, balance $15 per mo. J. W. DOLAN LAND CO., 312 Grant Bldg. Home A8706; Broadway 4562. 29

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.

Lot 50x125, on Union ave., near 6th st., $2300; $1300 down, balance easy. Must be sold this week. Owner, 1417 W. WASHINGTON ST. Phone West 4386. 28

FOR SALE—

$750 CASH. $750 CASH.

Lot on 48th st., ½ block from Main; size 40x135, north front; be quick if you want this snap. PHONE B9136. 28

FOR SALE—LOT 60x220 TO 20-FOOT ALLEY in the Electric Railway Tract, corner of Santa Monica ave. and Center st., Hollywood way. Price $850. F. P. CHAFFEE, owner, 119 S. Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—LARGE FINE LOTS, NEAR Sunset Blvd., close in $750 to $1000; easy terms. Buy one for a home. No better investment in the city. I. H. PRESTON, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — $650, LOT 55x165, 1 BLOCK west of Temple st. car line; this is a northwest corner, owner will accept terms; this is a bargain. Home phone 41146. 310 N. SARATOGA.

FOR SALE—HIGHLAND PARK, AT $30 per front foot, a choice frontage of 45 to 145 feet on Avenue 50; beautiful building site; street work done. OWNER, 401 W. Avenue 50. 29

FOR SALE—$650; FINE LOT, SOUTHWEST, one block from car line; owner needs money bad; easy terms. PACIFIC REALTY & MERCANTILE CO., 417 Bryson Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—$900 WILL BUY LOT 50x140 TO 15-foot alley, on Pacific Blvd., lot is actually worth $1100; must sell. Come early if you want this snap. KEYSTONE, 220 Grant Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—I HAVE 7 LOTS THAT I CAN discount 20 per cent. for immediate sale; these are snaps, and will go in a hurry. Apply to owner, 1663 W. 25TH ST., city. 29

FOR SALE — $650; SNAP; 2 BLOCKS south of Jefferson, on Flower; real bargain; must sell; make offer. PACIFIC REALTY & MERCANTILE CO., 417 Bryson Bldg. 28

FOR SALE — CHOICE 50-FT. CORNER, Flint and Cimarron sts., fronting north and west, $1250; $750 cash. MASON, 411 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Main 2162. 28

FOR SALE — 2 LARGE HIGH LOTS, ON W. Washington st., by owner; easy terms; no agents need apply. Address O, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE — $650, ELEGANT LOT ON 58TH near Figueroa, large walnut trees, $15 monthly. T. WIESENDANGER, 312 Merchants' Trust Co. Bldg.

FOR SALE—VERMONT AVE. CORNER, 150x130, worth $3000; very easy terms; for quick sale $1350. E. P. VERNON & CO., 133 W. Third st. 28

FOR SALE—BUY A 10-ACRE FARM, $10 down and $10 a month, no interest, no taxes. How? Where? Address K, box 128, TIMES OFFICE. 31

FOR SALE — 50-FOOT LOT ON W. 29TH st., near Cimarron; a bargain; only $1000. MASON, 411 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—

$1200—40x125, sewer and gas; south. M. M. DAVISON & SON, 306 Wilcox Bldg. 28

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, N.W. CORNER 31st and Trinity, $1500 for both lots; great bargain. 4995, NORTH 262. 30

FOR SALE— Acreage for Subdivision.

FOR SALE—

ACREAGE.
ACREAGE.
ACREAGE.
THE BIGGEST BARGAIN
IN THE CITY,
SOUTHWEST.

80 acres in the city, close in, on the Grand ave. electric railway for $1625 an acre, easy terms, fine contract; no other acreage near this can be purchased for less than $2500 an acre; a very large profit will be made by the purchasers of this property. It is now ready for subdivision. Fine car service. Every condition is right. See us at once or you will be too late to get the biggest bargain ever offered in this city.

M. E. JOHNSON & CO.,
302 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.
PHONES HOME 4539, MAIN 2669. 31

FOR SALE—10 ACRES, SOUTHWEST ON car line, must sell at once, bargain for cash. R. E. WELLS, 206½ S. Broadway. Home ... 8

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY

OFFER AND ADVISE THE PURCHASE OF
NORTHWEST CORNER
TENTH AND MAIN STREETS,
122 FEET FRONTAGE
BY AVERAGE DEPTH OF 100 FT.

INCOME—$650 PER MONTH—INCOME

SURROUNDED BY BUSINESS
IN THE HEART OF ACTIVITY.

SLIGHTLY OVER $2000 PER FOOT.
LESS THAN HALF CASH.
BALANCE ON OR BEFORE
FIVE YEARS AT 5½ PER CENT. NET.

THIS IS A BARGAIN CORNER.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,
319-323 S. HILL ST.,
28 SOLE AGENTS.

FOR SALE—

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY

OFFER AND ADVISE THE PURCHASE OF
THE SOUTHWEST CORNER
NINTH AND GRAND AVENUE.
96x160 FEET
(TO ALLEY.)

IMPROVED WITH TWO-STORY PRESSED-BRICK BUILDING, NOW RENTING FOR $480 PER MONTH.

EASY TERMS—$165,000—EASY TERMS.

CLOSE-IN CORNERS ARE VERY SCARCE.
THIS ONE IS WELL LOCATED.
BOTH NINTH STREET AND GRAND AVENUE ARE BEING WIDENED AND PAVED. WILL SELL FOR

$200,000,
IN ONE YEAR.

INVESTIGATE IMMEDIATELY.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,
319-323 SOUTH HILL ST.,
28 SOLE AGENTS.

FOR SALE—

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,
PIONEERS, OWNERS, BUILDERS AND BELIEVERS,
IN HILL STREET PROPERTY,

OFFER AND ADVISE THE PURCHASE OF
67x165 FEET
ON HILL STREET,
BETWEEN EIGHTH AND NINTH.
EAST FRONT.

FOR THE VERY LOW PRICE OF $2200 PER FRONT FOOT. EASY TERMS. OPPOSITE THE GREAT HAMBURGER STORE, AND $350 PER FOOT LESS THAN ANY OTHER PIECE IN THE BLOCK. WE BELIEVE THAT THE PURCHASE OF THIS PROPERTY WILL MAKE

$50,000
IN ONE YEAR.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,
28 319-323 SOUTH HILL ST.

FOR SALE—

FORTUNES IN
LOS ANGELES REALTY.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY
ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR
50x165 FEET,
FIGUEROA STREET
NEAR NINTH STREET.
IMPROVED WITH THREE-STORY BUILDING.
INCOME—$1800 PER YEAR—INCOME
ONLY—$32,000—ONLY
BIG PROFIT
IN SHORT TIME.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,
28 319-323 SOUTH HILL ST.

FOR SALE—

OLIVE ST. OLIVE ST.
OLIVE ST. OLIVE ST.

BETWEEN SECOND AND THIRD STS.
CHEAPEST APARTMENT SITE IN CITY.

CAN FURNISH TENANT FOR 300-ROOM BUILDING (WITH GOOD SECURITY,) AT A RENT THAT WILL PAY 15 PER CENT. ON MONEY INVESTED.

WILL GUARANTEE PRICE $5000 UNDER ANY OTHER LOT FOR SALE IN BLOCK.

THIS IS A RARE BARGAIN.
THIS IS A RARE BARGAIN.

O. A. VICKREY & CO.,
28 308 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—

MAKE YOUR DOLLARS GROW
BY DROPPING THEM INTO THIS
SYNDICATE
POSITIVE PROFIT AWAITS YOU.

There is no city in the world growing so fast as Los Angeles. Business property is held at a premium and residence sites now on the edge of the business center will soon be the hub of the teeming, commercial life of the city. We are forming a syndicate for the purpose of purchasing such a property—located close in and will soon develop into a splendid business site. At present is improved with four good houses, well rented. All syndicates formed by us in the past have been wonderfully successful, each paying from 50 to 150 per cent. profit. We feel positive in saying that this proposition will pay even greater returns—70 per cent. within the next year. There is not a more inviting, substantial opportunity on the market today for the man who has $5000 or more he wishes to invest judiciously. We feel you'll do yourself an injustice if you do not come in today and let us talk over this matter with you and show you the property.

ALTHOUSE BROS.,
Members L. A. Realty Board,
224 Laughlin Bldg.
Main 263. Home Ex. 263.
28

FOR SALE—

ADJOINING HAMBURGER'S.
ADJOINING HAMBURGER'S.

FORTY-TWO FEET ON WEST SIDE OF BROADWAY AT A BARGAIN PRICE AND ON RIDICULOUSLY EASY TERMS. WE HAVE THIS TIED UP TIGHT AND CAN ABSOLUTELY DELIVER IT.

COLSON, BRYON & DONNELL,
515-16-17 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.
HOME 7071. BROADWAY 4660.
28

FOR SALE—

HILL ST. HILL ST. HILL ST.
NEAR 10TH ST.
NEAR 10TH ST.
—50x155—

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
SOLE AGENTS,
29 218 WEST THIRD ST.

FOR SALE—

S. E. COR.
6TH & HOPE
STREETS

Paying good income; ground value increasing rapidly.
Home A1861. J. W. CUNNINGHAM,
Main 6779. 328 Citizens' Nat. Bank Bldg. 30

FOR SALE—

—$3500—

This fine apartment-house site is situated on a double clean corner on W. First st., close in, and is below market value now; owner of this needs to use some money, and we can deliver this at this price for a short time only.

$10,000—A fine building site on the first hill, close to Second and Broadway, has both an east and a south front; this has a good old house, now rented for $50 per month, which will bring a good income until you are ready to build or sell; ½ cash. These are both bargains. Don't wait until the prices double, but buy now.

BOWMAN REAL ESTATE CO., 602 Laughlin Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—

AN INVESTMENT OF $12,000
WILL RETURN YOU
36 PER CENT. ANNUALLY.

We have a strictly legitimate proposition to submit you, where your money is positively secured, and where it remains entirely under your own control, that will return you 36 per cent. on investment of $12,000. No scheme, or fake, BUT A PROPOSITION YOU WILL INDORSE. For full particulars address P, box 194, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE—

THE SOUTHWEST CORNER
OF
VERMONT AND VERNON.
—$4500—
100x162 TO ALLEY.

The best corner on Vermont, from Jefferson to Slauson. An exceptional opportunity to get something gilt-edge.

CONWAY & KESSLER,
28 405-07 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—On San Pedro st., at 25 per cent. less than the actual value, a store now leased for 3 years and lot 114x150 feet, with cottage and barn, occupied by Jacoby's foreman and delivery wagons and horses, 120 feet from corner of 21st st. and San Pedro st., 150 feet north of 22nd st., clean side of San Pedro st., one or both; terms easy, all to cash or time, come and see me at 2420 San Pedro st., or address Station F; any agent making sale gets regular commissions. W. S. BRYANT. P.S.—Also lots and houses on Pardee tract at Latin Station. 29

FOR SALE—

Main Street. Main Street. Main Street.
Main Street. Main Street. Main Street.
Main Street. Main Street. Main Street.

Southwest Corner, Main and 28th Streets.
Southwest Corner, Main and 28th Streets.
Southwest Corner, Main and 28th Streets.

110x155.

Sole Agents,
29 JONES & RYDER LAND CO.

FOR SALE—

MUST BE SOLD.
IT IS A BARGAIN.

East front business lot on Vermont avenue, in one of the best business locations on the street, south of Jefferson. Price $3300, half cash. Will sell for $5000 when paving is started, which will be in a few months.

"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
329 S. Hill st. Main 9307. Home Ex. 767. 28

FOR SALE—

FLOWER STREET.
50x165.

HOW MANY VACANT EAST FRONT LOTS CAN YOU POINT OUT ON FLOWER ST., BETWEEN 7TH AND 11TH? WE HAVE 1 BETWEEN 10TH AND 11TH, AT THE REASONABLE FIGURE OF $17,500, AND IT TAKES ONLY $3500 CASH, BALANCE ON OR BEFORE 3 YEARS, AT 6 PER CENT. SEE COOPER, ROBT. MARSH & CO., H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—

PICO ST. PICO ST. PICO ST.

We have 50 ft. with nice income on W. Pico near Vermont for $300 per foot. This will make you a fortune in a few years. It's close in, on a paved street, ready for business, and a bargain. ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO., Sole Agents, 119 Mer. Trust Bldg. A9242; Main 3232. 28

FOR SALE — $2300; HOUSE AND LOT, block from Georgia and 11th. MAIN 1460. 29

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,

OFFER AND ADVISE THE PURCHASE OF
55x165 FEET
ON OLIVE STREET BETWEEN
SEVENTH AND EIGHTH.

AT THE VERY LOW PRICE OF $1100 PER FRONT FOOT. THIS IS THE CHEAPEST PIECE OF FRONTAGE NORTH OF EIGHTH STREET ON OLIVE, PROPERTY HAVING SOLD ADJOINING IT SEVERAL WEEKS AGO AT $1150 PER FOOT. THERE IS $400 PER FOOT PROFIT IN THIS PROPERTY IN THE NEXT TWELVE MONTHS.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,
319-323 S. HILL ST. 28

FOR SALE—

THE BEST BUY IN TOWN.
ON E. 12TH ST.

LOCATED DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE BIG SHIRT FACTORY, ADJOINING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER 12TH AND SAN JULIAN.

80x150 FT. TO 20-FT. ALLEY.

PRICE $15,000.

$5400 CASH, BALANCE ON OR BEFORE 1, 2 AND 3 YEARS, 6 PER CENT.

SEE MR. BROOKS,
F. E. ROBINSON & CO.,
28 216 PACIFIC ELEC. BLDG.

FOR SALE—

A BARGAIN.
A BARGAIN.

FORTY FEET ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF PICO STREET, TWO HUNDRED FEET WEST OF MAIN STREET. IMPROVED WITH A BIG HOUSE, BRINGING IN GOOD RENTAL. PRICE $27,000. $7000 CASH, BALANCE LONG TIME AT 6 PER CENT.

COLSON, BRYON & DONNELL,
515-16-17 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.
HOME 7071. BROADWAY 4660.
28

FOR SALE—

BARGAIN.
BARGAIN.

Corner Miles and Wall.

100x143½ to alley.

$3800.

Free of all restrictions.

Maple ave. car line passes this lot.

Who's the lucky buyer?

CONWAY & KESSLER,
28 405-7 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—

OLIVE STREET.
Olive Street.

WE HAVE THE BARGAIN OF OLIVE STREET.

50x150 to alley, improved with flats, north of Pico and on the best side of the street. Price $28,000, $13,500 cash, balance 6 per cent. If you know Olive street you will know this is way under the market.

"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
329 S. Hill street. Main 9307. Home Ex. 767. 28

FOR SALE—

MAIN STREET CORNER.
MAIN STREET CORNER.
NOTH OF 17TH STREET.

I can deliver for a few days this fine corner at $1000 per foot; $12,000 cash will handle it. Best of terms, at 6 per cent.

E. E. WHITE & CO.,
1511 S. Main st.
Main 3430. Home B4746. 28

FOR SALE—

You cannot duplicate this.
Only $125 per foot.
Corner on San Pedro near Washington.
Investigate at once.

Sole Agents. CONWAY & KESSLER,
28 405-7 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—I WILL SELL MY 60-FT. LOT ON BROADWAY FOR $1500 PER FOOT, WHICH IS LESS THAN IT IS INTRINSICALLY WORTH; PROVIDING I MAKE SALE WITHIN THE NEXT 30 DAYS. HALF CASH, BALANCE ON TIME. THIS PROPERTY WITHIN ONE YEAR WILL PROBABLY BE READY SALE AT $3000 A FOOT. ADDRESS THE OWNER, WILLIS GEO. EMERSON, 301-2 DELTA BLDG.

FOR SALE—

ON HOPE ST.,
BETWEEN 8TH AND 9TH STS.

116 feet right within the limit, where Los Angeles property will bring the highest prices, now for sale at $600 per foot. See GUSTAV THOMAS, agent, 451½ S. Main. 30

FOR SALE—

BARGAIN OF ALL BARGAINS.

$800—House and lot near 18th and Hooper. This is $300 cheaper than anything in the same locality, but owner must sell as he needs money.

CAL. GRAYSON, with R. A. COLLINS,
Home 7000—Main 1936. 317 Byrne Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—IF TAKEN AT ONCE.

$10,750—FLOWER STREET, RIGHT NEAR PICO. 50x155 to alley, with handsome 8-room house, nearly new; a big bargain either for residence or speculation; will sell for $12,500 inside of 6 months.

F. M. PHELPS CO., 318-320 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—ALVARADO ST. THIS PROPERTY is located within 1 block of Westlake Park, improved with 17-room apartment house. I hold option and can deliver at $15,000; would consider vacant property to the value of $5000, balance must be cash. See this bargain. MRS. COOPER, 711 Delta Bldg. Phone F8953.

FOR SALE—LOT ON 18TH ST., NEAR Main, 60x129½; clean side of street, good 6-room house; price $4800; terms. This is the best buy north of Washington, between Main and Hill. PHONE MAIN 7880 or call 114 W. 14th st. 30

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—320-322-324 ALISO ST. AND 413 COMMERCIAL ST., DOUBLE FRONTAGE LOT, 2 BLOCKS FROM NEW POSTOFFICE, 100 FEET FROM SOUTHERN PACIFIC TRACKS; RENTS $2000 YEAR. EXCELLENT MANUFACTURING SITE; $46,000 TAKES IT. HARTJE & NEFRONEY, SOLE AGENTS. PHONE BOYLE 1586. OFFICE BOYLE HEIGHTS END BROOKLYN AVE. CAR LINE. 30

FOR SALE—PICO ST. CORNER, BETWEEN MAIN AND FIGUEROA.
$325 PER FOOT.
$325 PER FOOT.
$325 PER FOOT.
Option only good for 3 days.
D. W. WILSON,
221 Byrne Bldg.
Home 6068, Main 5228. 28

FOR SALE—$4000.

Close in on Vermont, nearly new 5-room strictly modern cottage, on lot 50x135, east front, on Vermont in business section; this is a bargain at $4000, ½ cash. See CROSBY & HOPKINS, 4302 Vermont ave. 28

FOR SALE — $2300; HOUSE AND LOT, block from Georgia and 11th. MAIN 1460.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN ON GRAND AVE. near postoffice, 96x165, $1000 per foot, best buy in this location, great activity; requires prompt action; property will sell for handsome profit within 6 months. WESTERVELT, 222 Merchants Trust Bldg. A5313.

FOR SALE—E. 6TH NEAR ARCADE DEpot, where work on new depot begins next month, fine lot with 5 room house, is cheap at $11,000; another cheap property on Gladys ave. near 7th, for $3500. G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 29

FOR SALE—Without exception the best and cheapest CORNER ON W. WASHINGTON, if taken before New Year's Day. G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 28

FOR SALE—$7000 WILL BUY LOT 180x150 to alley, on 27th near Figueroa, if you are looking for a real snap, call and see us. KEYSTONE, 220 Grant Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—E. 11TH, JUST OFF SAN PEdro, lot 55x125 to alley, with large double house; $9000, is a bargain. G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 28

FOR SALE— Income Property.

FOR SALE—THERE IS NO GUESSWORK about this. It has been finished about 2 minutes; all five flats are rented to gilt-edge tenants; monthly income $125; price $12,000, $5000 swings it; you get 12 per cent. net. 403 LUCAS AVE. 'Phone WESTON, F5035.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS INCOME CORNER, $10,000, income $1650 now; get this now. Phone A1866, OWNER. 3

CONTRACTORS— And Builders.

WANTED—WE BUILD FOUR-ROOM BUNgalows for $235, five-room modern $850; more expensive houses at proportionate rates. See us before building anything. HOPKINS & RASMUSSEN, South 4706 and South 1725. 28

WANTED—RESPONSIBLE GRADING CONtractor for street work, 30 or more blocks, 200,000 yards of grading, cement walk, etc. Vrooman act, city bond work. Address C. E. HARRELL, Hotel Angelus. 28

WE BUILD 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, $800; 5 rooms, $175. Low bids on all classes of buildings, plans free. LEAVER-GUENTHART & CO., Inc., 257-8 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—GRADING OUTFIT FOR SALE by widow, plenty of work; takes $2000 to handle it; profits $250 per month. Apply at 612 SOUTH SPRING STREET. 28

WE FURNISH PLANS AND BUILD houses from $300 up. WESTERN REALTY & INV. CO., 424 South Hill st.

FOR SALE— Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—

$700 PER MONTH NET PROFIT.

Transient house, which owner guarantees has been and is now clearing $700 each month above all expenses for the past three months; velvet Brussels carpets, mahogany and weathered oak furniture; new piano; etc.; lease for 3 years at $80. Present owner is ill and is obliged to sell, as she cannot run the place. Price $3200. If you want to make money in the rooming-house business, call and see this.

ROBERT MITCHELL CO.,
Fifth floor, Collins Bldg., 213 W. Third st. 28

FOR SALE—SEE MRS. M'FATRIDGE, 312 S. Spring. Home A7236, for rooming-houses, 4 years in business.
$400—7 rooms, modern, Grand ave., on hill and full.
$450—14 rooms, Fremont near 4th, housekeeping, lawn, income $56 a month.
$500—10 rooms, Olive near 12th, barn, lawn, housekeeping, income $36; extra good.
$2000—Broadway, 26 rooms, rent $100; lease 3 years; income $200 to $300. Many others. List yours. 28

FOR SALE—A few good bargains in rooming-houses right in the heart of the city.
$4500—43 rooms, long lease.
$3000—47 rooms, steam heat, running water.
$2000—38 rooms, long lease.
$1100—27 rooms, a fine home place.
$1100—22 rooms, very good bargain.
$275—6-room flat on Olive.
$250—7 rooms, Hill st.
G. W. YOUNGBLOOD, 422½ S. Hill. 28

FOR SALE—Hotels, rooming houses and apartment houses on terms to suit purchaser; big, little, old and young, any size and at most any price; new houses to lease unfurnished; city and country hotels sold and exchanged, money loaned to purchasers on any place we sell; established in Los Angeles June, 1894. No other business. J. R. RICHARDS HOTEL BROKERS CO., 321 Laughlin Building.

FOR SALE—NEWLY FURNISHED 13-ROOM rooming-house, located west of Broadway, within few minutes' walk of business district, house has recently been repainted and papered throughout, rooms all rented and making fine income, rent $85, lease 2 years, owner in ill-health, must sell. Home F.... R. B. SCHURGER & CO., Main 6773. 303-5 Grant Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF A 14-room apartment house, nearly new, netting $300 per month, will be sold under value and favorable lease given to right party; rooms all occupied, good location, owner of building and furniture has other business requiring his time; buyer must have money; a bargain will given. Address P, box 193, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE — FURNISHED FOUR-ROOM flat and bath. 1111½ N. GRAND. 28

FOR SALE—

ROOMING-HOUSE.

35 rooms, modern, 1 block to Main st.; best transient house in city; choice furniture; long lease at $120 per month; see this today; $1200 cash gets possession. See FLEENOR & CO., either address, 119½ S. Spring, Main 1949, 4112½ S. Main st. Home 5133 or Main 4651. 28

FOR SALE—

ROOMING-HOUSE BARGAIN.

40-room rooming-house best location; Spring st.; rent $175; only $650 cash to handle this.

HEBER & COOPER,
28 111 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE COMPLETE, INcluding piano, only $600; 6-room modern flat, close to P.O., on Figueroa st.; rent $40 per month; rooms all rented except kitchen and dining-room; owner wants a larger house. THE J. E. PUGH REALTY CO., 221 O. T. Johnson Bldg. 'Phone A5771. 28

FOR SALE—Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica. Hotel and grounds are now open for inspection. For particulars write to PACIFIC IMPROVEMENT CO., 1582 Geary Street, San Francisco, Cal. 28

FOR SALE—CLOSING OUT BY JANUARY 10, rooming-house, 21 rooms, near park; strictly modern; two years' lease; very low rent; must sell for $1850; TERMS. 'Phone Main 1969, or address or call W. C. HUNTER, 119½ S. Spring st., suite 14-15. 28

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND LEASE OF a 20-room rooming-house and boarding-house; house doing good business; rent $40 per month, if cash is paid; will sell reasonable, as desires to leave city. Call 734 LAMAR ST. for East 494. Take Eastlake car.

FOR SALE—OWNER MUST LEAVE CITY immediately and will sacrifice 30-room apartment house for $700, clearing $100 monthly, good lease, rent $3 a room. KEYSTONE, 220 Grant Bldg. Home A2014, Main 6712. 28

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE; ONE OF the best furnished and best paying apartment houses in Los Angeles, 64 outside rooms, always full, moderate price and good reasons for selling. Apply 247 S. FLOWER. 28

FOR SALE—21 ROOMS, IN GOOD CONDItion, all one one floor, will sell reasonable if bought through owner; a sure money maker. For particulars call 427½ SAN PEDRO ST. Phone F1483. 30

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF A BEAUTIful nine-room flat, filled with roomers; choice location; 10 minutes' walk from center of city, for the small sum of $450. 715 W. SEVENTH. 29

FOR SALE—I AM COMPELLED TO SELL my 30-room house at best offer, clears $100 monthly; if you want a house at your own price, address box 81, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena. 28

FOR SALE—24 ROOMS, W. SEVENTH ST., all outside rooms; finely furnished; rent $125; good lease; $2200, easy terms, or trade; clears $125 month; snap. 302 FAY BLDG. 28

FOR SALE — WELL LOCATED 14-ROOM rooming-house on 6th st., cheap, with terms. See JOHN T. STEVENS CO., 204 Severance Bldg., 6th and Main. 28

FOR SALE—LODGING-HOUSE, 27 ROOMS, $2300; house is full, pays $100 per month. 223½ E. FIRST. 28

Classified Liners.

FOR SALE— Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE, 48 ROOMS, long lease, money-maker; will sell at a bargain, if taken at once. See OWNER, 656½ S. Main. 28

FOR SALE—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMING-house, 31 rooms, 3 years' lease, near Arcade depot. 508 RUTH AVE. 'Phone F3260. 29

FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSE, $1250, 22 rooms, right in center of city, clears over $100 per month; no fake in this. Address 29 S. BROADWAY. 30

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—

FARMING LAND

YOU CAN BUY

10 acres, 20 acres, 40 acres, or any amount you want. Prices low, terms easiest on record.

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LAGUNA DE TACHE GRANT,

A NEW SUBDIVISION OF

10,000 ACRES TO CHOOSE FROM.

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FOR EXCHANGE—WELL STOCKED AND equipped chicken ranch for real estate. B1063. 30

FOR SALE— Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND FURNITURE, STOVES, CARPETS, DESKS, ALL CHEAP, RANGING IN QUALITY FROM THE SIMPLEST STYLES TO THE BEST. ALWAYS ALERT FOR BARGAINS WE UNDERSELL ALL COMPETITORS. Just look over our stock before you buy, it will save you a lot. GAS RANGES. We set them up, connect and guarantee against gas leakage, etc., at about one-third what new ones cost. COOK STOVES AND STEEL RANGES. We can save you from $5 to $20 on a stove, connected and guaranteed. SKEELS BROS., 907 S. Main. Both phones.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS AT A bargain; kitchen table, $1.40; washstand, 2.50; kitchen safe, $4.35; wash wringer, $1.90; 4-hole cook stove, $9; rubber door mat, $1.25; gas range, $7.50; 50-piece dinner set, $3.75; center table, $1.15; velour couch, $4.50; dresser, $6; iron beds, $2.75; carpet sweepers, $2; lace curtains, 50c pair; leather couch, $12.50; mantal folding bed, $13.50. J. M. OVERELL, 700 S. Main.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, ONE NEW electric piano, $300, cost $650; one new '06 Reliance motorcycle, $140, cost $200; office furniture or runabout preferred; will give or take cash difference. Address N, box 149, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE— 2400 picking boxes, 30 lbs., with covers, 5 large galvanized tanks, 2 small tin tanks, 300 funnels, 23 cases half pint jars, with covers. Main 167. 619 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. Home A1186. 30

FOR SALE — BOILERS, ENGINES, GASOline engines, pumps, hoisting engines, wood and iron working machinery bought, sold, rented and exchanged. J. WHITE MACHINERY CO., 714 N. Alameda st.

FOR SALE — ON EASY PAYMENTS, BAR fixtures, new and second-hand billiard and pool tables, billiards and bowling supplies. We lead in cheap prices. BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER, 321-3 E. Third st.

FOR SALE—LOT SECOND-HAND 8x10 AND 10x10 O. P. timbers and planks; also second-hand doors, sash, store fronts, partitions, etc. BUILDERS' SUPPLY CO., 769 San Fernando st. 2643 ANDREW ST. 28

FOR SALE—BILLIARD AND POOL TAble, $300; regular price $250; we have 10 of these on hand, they are beauties. THE CHAS. PASSOW CO., 112 E. 3rd st. near Main, second floor.

FOR SALE—$25, NEW HOME, SINGER OR Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, Domestic, White or Singer, $10, rented $1.50 month. ARCADE CO., 416 W. 7th. Both phones.

FOR SALE — AN EXCELLENT DRIVING outfit, good horse, fine Moyer buggy, canopy top, harness and whip; also light farm wagon, can be seen at No. 300 W. JEFFERSON ST.

FOR SALE—PATENT ON THE WALKER portable house in United States of Mexico. Call at 420 W. SIXTH ST., where you can see the house and examine the patent. 2

FOR SALE — NO. 1 BRIGHT TAME OAT hay, never wet, $12 per ton, in large or small quantities, at BARNS, ADAMS, East End HOLLENBECK AVE.

FOR SALE — FINE 1 CARAT DIAMOND ring, this is a beauty, come up and see, $115 takes it. 411 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. 28

FOR SALE—GAS RANGES AND CONNECtions, iron bed and shades for 8-room house, house for rent Jan. 1. Call 306 N. BEAUDRY AVE.

FOR SALE—5 POOL TABLES IN GOOD condition at a bargain. Address P.O. BOX 204, Burbank, or call at Burbank Poolroom. 31

FOR SALE—ROLL TOP DESK, HALLWOOD cash register; Oliver typewriter, medium size safe. Address L, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—TICKET TO OMAHA OR CHIcago, cheap. 'Phone at once, SUNSET SOUTH 190, Local 1. Carlisle. 29

FOR SALE—SAFES, NEW AND SECOND-hand. HERRING-HALL-MARVIN SAFE CO., 420 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—WINDMILLS AND OIL TANKS, any size. We repair and construct. DEMMITT, 120 N. Main. 29

FOR SALE—200 POUNDS ALFALFA SEED, 12c pounds. Inquire of G. Z. ROBERTSON, 123 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—4 GOOD SECOND-HAND SAFES; must be sold. A. F. ANDERSON & CO., 212 N. Main st.

FOR SALE—100 TONS OF GOOD BARLEY hay, $12 per ton. Apply D. E. SMITH, 324 W. 41st st. 30

FOR SALE—NON-DESCRIPTIVE TICKETS, Salt Lake. Address R, box 184, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE—LOT OF GENUINE GOVERNment military saddles, $8.50. 116 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE — CHICKEN FEED, CENT A pound. 585 CENTRAL AVE., corner 6th. 29

FOR SALE — 25 INVALID CHAIRS FOR renting. EAMES TRICYCLE CO., 827 S. Spr.

FOR SALE — FERTILIZER DELIVERED from dairy. Phone SOUTH 5495. 30

FOR SALE—FREE DIRT, FINE FOR lawns. 512 E. 28TH ST. 30

FOR SALE — MACNEAL & URBAN SAFES. 409 E. SECOND ST.

FOR SALE— Furniture.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE, SECOND-HAND OR NEW. GENUINE BARGAINS. LEASE EXPIRES. Giving up part of our space, must move a lot of heavy goods at cost. Several butchers' and grocers' refrigerators, French range, steel ranges, gas range, counters and show cases, tables galore. DESKS. We are already well known as headquarters for roll-top desks, flat-top typewriter desks, office chairs, velvet, Smyrna and brussels rugs, matting and linoleum. RENT DESKS. We buy, sell, exchange and rent desks on liberal terms. WE RENT FURNITURE. One piece or a houseful for one day or a month. Call us up. Everything in the second-hand line. Good stock new goods; all bargains. SKEELS BROS., 907 S. Main. Sunset Phone, Broadway 4484; Home 7018.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 5-ROOM modern house, used only short time; walking distance; nice lawn and flowers; can rent house for $15 per month; am leaving city; must be sold at once; a big bargain at $150. Take Central ave. car, get off at 11th, walk ½ block west. 1128 E. 11TH ST. No dealers.

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FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 6-ROOM MODern house, $275 cash, balance on time; house rents for $35 per month; owner is called East; must leave immediately; good place for roomers. MRS. SMITH, 1524 S. Main. 30

FOR SALE—STRICTLY MODERN 7-ROOM flat for rent, 5 minutes' walk to City Hall, $35, new furniture for sale cheap. 338 S. FLOWER. 28

FOR SALE—LATEST ELEGANT DESIGN of Chickering piano, absolutely new, at a great bargain. Apply at private house, 719 S. HILL. 29

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 3 ROOMS FOR light housekeeping, including 2 rare paintings, $35. 177 S. CLARENCE ST., Boyle Heights. 28

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 5-ROOM FLAT, close in, price $150, rent $30. 317 PAVILION PLACE; key at 512 California st. 29

FOR SALE—MATTRESSES AND COUCHES. Our own make; bargains in wardrobe-couches; also iron beds. 709 W. SEVENTH ST.

FOR SALE—A WARDROBE COUCH, WITH willow rocker, chair and heating stove. 219 W. 46TH ST., Saturday morning.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE, FURNITURE; new stock, lowest cash prices. WHITE & AUCHMOODY, 119 E. Sixth st.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE FOR FIVE rooms, $180; cottage for rent, $20. 2967 ROXBURY ST. Take Pico car. 29

FOR SALE— Furniture.

FOR SALE—SNAP; FURNITURE OF SIX-room flat, parties leaving town. Address 1127 S. FIGUEROA. 2

FOR SALE—GAS RANGES, FOLDING BEDS, rugs and furniture, cheap. 737 S. Grand ave.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 4-ROOM flat, $75; rent of flat, $12. 450 W. 39TH. 29

FOR SALE — SEWING MACHINE, VERY good condition, cheap. 606 W. 9TH. 30

BUSINESS CHANCES— Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—MY CASH GROCERY STOCK, fixtures and a valuable lease at the beach; average sales $75 a day and can be greatly increased if you want to step into an established and profitable and have about $4000 cash answer this. Address P, box 119, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE— Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica. Hotel and grounds are now open for inspection. For particulars write to PACIFIC IMPROVEMENT CO., 1592 Geary Street, San Francisco, Cal. 29

FOR SALE—POOLROOM $875 CASH, THE best poolroom, located at Westlake Park, rent $21, lease, established 4 years, no other poolroom within a mile, best class of trade, clearing $125 and $150 a month; trial given to purchaser. 636 S. ALVARADO. 28

FOR SALE—I HAVE AN APARTMENT-house that is just to start building. It is on an exceptionally well-located corner. You can secure this lease now. If you want an excellent proposition, see J. E. YERBY at once. 436 Byrne Bldg. 29

FOR SALE—SOME BUSINESS CHANCES. MUST BE SOLD THIS WEEK. Grocery and delicatessen store, doing $10 to $20 per day; rent being $30, including 2 living-rooms, furnished and included in the price, $550. 128 S. Broadway.

FIRST-CLASS DRUG BUSINESS AND realty centrally located on corner, price $22,500, or will sell realty for $10,500 and lease buildings for 2 years at $1000 per annum; full particulars of "PESTLE," care Times Office. 29

FOR SALE — GROCERY STORE DOING $175 a day, rent $30 per month; invoice $5000; I got this store in trade and have no time to run it, will sell for less than invoice, part cash; no agents. Address P, box 180, TIMES OFFICE. 30

FOR SALE—ELEGANT, CENTRALLY LOcated fruit and produce business, fully equipped and making big money. Great bargain, as I am forced to go north. Address M, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 30

FOR SALE—A GREAT BARGAIN; FEED, wood and coal business in heart of Hollywood; shows $300 month profits; will inventory about $3500. See owner, H. F. MESSER, Cahuenga and Sunset Blvd. 29

WANTED — ENERGETIC BUSINESS MAN with $5000 to invest in guaranteed 12 per cent. profit; paying business, with good salary. MERCHANTS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION, Salt Lake City, Utah. 11

FOR SALE—I HAVE 5000 SHARES OF Nevada mining stock, company now operating in the Johnnie district; will trade or sell. What have you. Address K, box 198, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WE OFFER THE BEST BUSINESS IN Los Angeles for the price; employ twelve men, profits over $3000 in 1906; will pay $4000 in 1907. $8000 cash takes it. Address P.O. BOX 1257. 28

$1000—BUYS THIS WEEK ONLY, BEST delicacy and bakery on Hill st.; fine location; no competition, clearing $135 month, guarantee. SAFETY INVESTMENT CO., 406 West Seventh. 29

FOR SALE—ESTABLISHED SALARIED loan business; on good paying basis; good reason for selling. Do not answer unless you mean business. Address K, box 111, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE — RESTAURANT, FINE LOCAtion, doing big business; will sell cheap; on account of sickness; do not apply unless you mean business. Address O, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 2

DINING-ROOM, KITCHEN AND LIVING-room in new, high-class, steam-heated family hotel, splendid opportunity for first-class caterer. S. T. MOCK, 501 Chamber of Commerce.

SHERIFF'S SALE—ALL THE HOUSEHOLD and kitchen furniture in the 3-story rooming-house at 648 S. OLIVE ST., will be sold at Sheriff's Sale next Monday, Dec. 31, at 10 o'clock a.m.

HOTEL VIBIANA, 46 ROOMS AND OFFICE, lease and furniture $1500 cash, $3000 in trade, real estate in city, Long Beach or Alamitos Bay. 711 CENTRAL AVE. M. A. THORNTON. 2

GROCERY FOR SALE, CORNER 18TH AND Central ave.; cash paying business, making good profit, fine location, come investigate; will sell at bargain if buy before first of year.

TO LET — CIGAR STAND ON MAIN ST., with the fixtures in; rent only $5 per month, with one year's lease; I will sell my lease for $30. See OWNER, 355 S. HILL ST., room 1.

LIFE TIME OPPORTUNITY FOR A MAN of financial ability, with $14,000 capital to purchase an established business in Southern California. ROOM 227, 142 S. Broadway. 3

FOR SALE — AN OLD ESTABLISHED delicacy and grocery business; good stock and fixtures; owner has other business. See this quick. Price $750. 325 E. SIXTH. 28

FOR SALE—FINE CIGAR STAND, CENtrally located; stock, fixtures and lease; must be sold today, the highest offer takes it; rare opportunity. 153 N. MAIN. 28

FOR SALE—LIVERY STABLE STOCK IN A close in growing town. Rent reasonable. Other business requires owner's time. Address P, box 136, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—COMPLETE BAKERY OUTFIT, including oven, National oil burner and tank. Call LASSEN CO., 137 South Los Angeles st., or 225 Newland st. 29

FOR SALE—A SNAP, $250 WILL BUY YOU a show business, you can easily make from $5 to $15 per hour. For information call at room 433, 224 S. SPRING. 28

FOR SALE — NEWSPAPER IN RAPIDLY-growing town; this is a money maker; investigate; will make good terms. Address P, box 163, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE—MEAT MARKET, LOCATED IN the southwest, doing a fine business; good reason for selling; must sell at once. Address O, box 66, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED—GOOD RELIABLE MAN, SMALL capital; no fake; agent or commission; business will stand investigation. Address R, box 115, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE—A FIRST-CLASS POOLROOM, with cigar stand and soda fountain in connection; price $5000. Address M, box 39, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE—DENTAL PRACTICE WITH OR without fixtures, well established; good opportunity for right man. Address P, box 198, TIMES OFFICE. 30

FOR SALE—GRADING OUTFIT FOR SALE by widow, plenty of work; takes $2000 to handle it; profits $250 per month. Apply at 832 S. SPRING. 29

FOR SALE — CHEAP; TAILORING ESTABlishment that is doing a first-class business. Inquire ROOM 306, BYRNE BLDG., Third and Broadway. 29

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FOR SALE—GOOD PAYING CANDY STORE and soda fountain at sacrifice, on account of sickness, $750 will take it. Call at 304½ E. 5TH. 29

WANTED—GOOD CIGAR STORE FOR cash. Restaurant, Central ave., no fake. INVESTMENT CO., 319 S. Spring st., room 12. 29

FOR SALE — LIVERY STABLE. ONE OF the best in Los Angeles. Price $16,000. For particulars apply K, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 30

$400 AND INSIDE MAN FOR SAFE, PERmanent business opportunity for reliable man. Address O, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE — BEST MILLINERY AND ladies' art parlors in Pasadena, cause sickness. 130 E. COLORADO ST., Pasadena.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN MEAT market, fine trade a good opening for right party. Address O, box 65, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—MEAT MARKET FOR $375 OR half interest, good location, fine business. Call at once. 1585 W. WASHINGTON. 28

ONE OF THE BEST CIGAR STANDS ON South Main st. for $650. Apply at 430 S. MAIN, or see Keystone, 220 Grant Bldg. 28

$1800 BUYS A MONEY MAKING RESTaurant on Spring st.; fine lease. EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., 216 W. 2nd st. 29

FOR SALE—WELL FITTED MEAT MARket, with good business. Owner has no time to attend to it, $1800. 828 W. 6TH. 28

FOR SALE—BARBER SHOP, $150; TWO chairs; rent $16, good location; will sell on installments. 630 EAST 5TH.

FOR SALE — ABOUT $3000 STOCK HARDware in city; fine proposition. Address J, box 175, TIMES OFFICE. 30

BUSINESS MEN, BE WISE; DON'T BUY new hat; have old remodeled like new, 50c up. Factory, 214 N. BROADWAY.

BAKER SHOP FOR SALE CHEAP; IN country, doing a good business. Address O, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 29

FOR SALE — BAKERY; MUST BE SOLD; your own price. Address P, box 75, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE—LARGEST RETAIL POULTRY trade in the city. 'PHONES SOUTH 1473, HOME 29338. 30

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE AND MEAT market. For particulars Phone HOME 52751. 1

FOR SALE—OR LEASE, GOOD PAYING restaurant, cheap. 1217 N. MAIN. 30

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BUSINESS CHANCES— Miscellaneous.

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FOR SALE— HARDWARE AND PAINT [illegible] In city, doing steady increasing [illegible] clean, clear and up to date; 5 years' [illegible] low rent; $5000 will buy it, part of [illegible] remain. Wants to sell on account of [illegible] health. If you are interested in the [illegible] business, it will pay you to see me. ROBERT MITCHELL CO., 5th floor Collins Bldg., 313 West [illegible]

$1500—FOR SALE, RESTAURANT [illegible] day. $250—Partnership, $40 a week. $500—Bicycle business, $100 a month. $600—Kodak and photo business [illegible] $350—Real estate office, money [illegible] Wanted, good rooming-house. Wanted, small lunch house. Wanted, cigar store for cash. INVESTMENT CO., 319 S. Spring [illegible]

FOR SALE—CIGAR STAND, WELL located, doing good business; [illegible] selling; no bonus. Apply to OWNER, [illegible] Los Angeles st.

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR MAN WITH [illegible] to $4000; some knowledge of [illegible] invest with incorporated company [illegible] growing, in near-by town, and take [illegible] branch of business on salary basis [illegible] willing to do certain amount [illegible] nish references; an honest, [illegible] where money will be safe. Address [illegible] 182, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$4000 OR INVOICE [illegible] and fruit store. $450—Grocery store, invoices [illegible] $335—Restaurant with living-rooms [illegible] $500—Cigar stand and barber shop [illegible] $175—Barber shop in poolroom. $2200—Machine shop, invoices [illegible] See JNO. W. BROWN, 452½ S. [illegible] room 43.

LUMBER—I HAVE A GOOD [illegible] capacity 25 million feet daily [illegible] fit and control, 15 million feet [illegible] and redwood timber, near [illegible] Want partner with capital. [illegible] for eastern man wishing to [illegible] here; experience not required. [illegible] COMBER, 2313 Pine st., San Francisco.

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FOR SALE—FOR A FEW DAYS [illegible] offer my entire stock, new and second-hand furniture and fixtures as a [illegible] is a well advertised, established [illegible] business, location the best; [illegible] where demand my entire attention [illegible] snap for you. L. C. SKEELS [illegible]

DELICACY—CAN YOU COOK [illegible] chance for small money [illegible] 1; I am going to Nevada, no [illegible] fer refused. 304 TEMPLE.

THERE'S PLENTY LARGE HALIBUT [illegible] other fish on banks ninety [illegible] Pedro. NO ONE GOES THERE [illegible] Am successful fisherman and [illegible] parties with means help form [illegible] fish there. It's better than [illegible] RENSHAW, 1001 Ingraham st.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY [illegible] selected; we refuse to handle [illegible] are offered. If you want to get [illegible] ness in Los Angeles and know [illegible] not buying a gold brick, see us [illegible] 20 years. EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., 216 W. Second st. 28

SWAPS— All Sorts, Big and Little.

FOR EXCHANGE—1 2-SEATED [illegible] 1 light spring wagon, harness [illegible] lots in East Hollywood, for what [illegible] will take auto, furniture or [illegible] there at a bargain; no agents. [illegible] SON, 417 O. T. Johnson Bldg., [illegible] Broadway. Home A6632, Broadway [illegible]

FOR EXCHANGE—NATIONAL CASH REGister, A and B counter, $220 [illegible] sell for $125 or exchange for a [illegible] driving horse. Call 264 S. Los Angeles ST.

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TO LOAN—$3000 TO [illegible] years at 7 per cent., on [illegible] real estate. F. A. RUDROW [illegible] A6282; Main 3339.

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MONEY TO LOAN ON DIAMONDS [illegible] jewelry; reasonable rates; no delay. [illegible] WEBB, 224 Bryson Bldg.

UNION LOAN CO., ON DIAMONDS, furniture, etc. 114 S. SPRING. Phone [illegible]

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE [illegible] TRUE & CLEVELAND, 607 Hellman [illegible]

TO LOAN—MONEY ON CITY OR COUNtry property. A. McCALL, 314 Bullard [illegible]

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$6.00 Hand Bags $3.75
These bags are made of genuine seal and are calfskin lined. They come in the new, square styles; are made on leather bound frames; have brass finished trimmings. Regular $6.00 values. Friday..... **$3.75**

25c White Pine Cough Syrup....17c
25c Shaving Brush....12c

25c Stationery at 17c
A fancy holiday box of high grade writing paper; splendid for gifts, or just the thing for your holiday correspondence. 25c box Friday..... **17c**

$1.50 Fountain Syringe 87c
This extreme reduction is made possible by a very extensive buy. These syringes are made from the best quality red rubber in three-quart size; are thoroughly reliable in every respect; have all the tubes and attachments. A bargain at double. Friday..... **87c**

35c Bath Towels at 21c
These are the pure, white soft, absorbent Turkish bath towels, with fringed ends. Are splendid quality, excellent 35c values, Friday **21c**

25c Stuart's Tooth Wash....10c
65c Razor Strop....33c

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These are excellent quality brushes—the kind you like to use; have solid hardwood backs with splendid quality bristle, set so as not to come out; $1.00 values. Buy them Friday..... **67c**

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These cases are made of wicker and are bound all around with heavy leather. They are 24-inch size; are commodious, light and strong; a splendid suit case for a lady. Regular $5.75 values. Friday..... **$3.95**

50c Witch Hazel Cream....33c
5c Hand Scrubs, two for....5c

50c Perfumes at 33c
A splendid assortment for Friday's buyers. Handsome holiday packages suitable for New Year's gifts. High grade perfumes—popular odors—50c values, Friday..... **33c**

$7.50 Suit Case $5
Now, if you have any need for a suit case, here is your opportunity to save $2.50. These suit cases are made of genuine cowhide, with reinforced leather corners, brass riveted, have extra brass lock and inside shirt fold, are 24-inch size, $7.50 values.

$2 Collar Bags at $1.37
These make elegant gifts for gentlemen at any time. They just came in—are very swell. Made in fancy plaid silks with a draw-string—very new. $2.00 values—Friday..... **$1.37**

25c Talcum Powder, one pound....15c
25c Williams' Shaving Stick....14c

$1.35 Hot Water Bags 87c
This is the famous Dean's special water bag, made especially for us from pure rubber, fully guaranteed. The 4-quart size regularly worth $1.35. Friday..... **87c**

35c Combs 21c
These are splendid hard rubber combs; teeth are clean cut; come in coarse and fine combinations; are extra strong; the kind that won't break easily. Friday..... **21c**

25c Glycerine Soap, three bars....11c
25c Glycerine and Rose Water....15c

50c Lister's Fluid at 33c
This is a standard preparation that should be in every home. Is an antiseptic gargle or a mouth wash. Friday buy a full pint for..... **33c**

Military Brushes at Half
A splendid New Year's gift that you can buy at half price. These sets come in various combinations; some made of stag, others of silver, aluminum, etc., with sterling mountings. The regular prices range from $6.00 down to $3.00. Friday's half price brings them down to..... **$1.50**

35c Phosphate Soda at 21c
A pleasant, mild morning laxative. No home should be without it. The well-known granular effervescent, sodium phosphate. Reg. 35c—Friday..... **21c**

10c Sapolio....6c
10c Sulphur....5c
25c Dean's Gargle....15c

25c Nail Brushes 15c
For Friday we include a vast assortment of splendid quality nail brushes of all kinds—hard and soft bristle—bleached and unbleached. Your choice..... **15c**

25c Tooth Brushes 15c
These brushes have ivory backs and are set with fine quality Russian bristle, stiff and medium. We bought a big lot—Friday we do the unusual—the price goes to..... **15c**

75c Wash Cloth Cases 45c
These are very convenient for the traveler. They come in fancy silks and are rubber lined. Contain wash rag—regular 75c quality—Friday..... **45c**

10c Senna Leaves....5c
10c Wash Rags....5c
75c Dean's Hair Tonic....50c

50c Mirrors 27c
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EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—George L. Turner and Son have been given a verdict for $25,000 damages by the Territorial Court at Socorro, N. M., against the Santa Rita Mining Company. The Turners in their complaint alleged that the mining company had boycotted them, prohibiting its em... ployes from trading with them.

THE PRESIDENT AND HARRIMAN.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE HEARS WHAT DOES NOT PLEASE HIM.

New York World's Correspondent at the National Capital Says the Railway Magnate Called the Head of the Nation a "Firebrand" and an "Irresponsible."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The World's Washington special says the President will try to dissolve the Harriman railroad merger because Harriman called him a "firebrand," "irresponsible" and "detriment to business."

During the late Congressional campaign Harriman went to a number of the Republican Congressional Committee and told that official exactly what he thought of the President. In general, Harriman stated that "Roosevelt was a firebrand; that he was irresponsible, and that his administration of the office of President had been responsible for much trouble experienced by the business world.

"The member of the Congressional Committee informed the President what Harriman had said about him. The report displeased the President, and in characteristic Rooseveltian style he shook his fist in the face of the member of the Republican Congressional Committee, and asked: "Did Harriman say these things about me?"

Upon being assured as to the truth of the statement, the President said: "All right, I will attend to this matter."

PAPERS PRAISE DURAND.

Also Discuss Canadian Assistant to Aid His Successor at Washington, James Bryce.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The departure from Washington of Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, British Ambassador, is referred editorially this morning with expressions of congratulation on his work. He is credited with having effected a great improvement in the relations between the two countries, and it is reported he will be offered a peerage.

The appointment of a Canadian to assist James Bryce, who will succeed Sir Henry at Washington, is also discussed. The belief seems to be that, rather than appoint such an official permanently, it will be decided, when important Canadian matters arise, to appoint a Canadian representative particularly for the matter under consideration.

ASK TRUST RECEIVER.

BIRMINGHAM, (Ala.) Dec. 27.—A petition was filed in the City Court today for an interlocutory injunction restraining the Standard Trust Company, a Delaware corporation, from doing business in Alabama. The petitioners seek a receiver and charge the concern with irregular business methods.

FLASHES FROM WIRES.

James Harris, his 13-year-old son and 15-year-old daughter were asphyxiated by natural gas which escaped from a stove in their home at Niagara Falls, Ont., Wednesday night. An 11-year-old daughter is in a precarious condition.

Emperor William of Germany is importing American mares for his stock farms. Mabel L., a richly bred mare, 8 years old, with a trial record of 2:10¼, is now aboard one of the American-Hamburg liners and was shipped to Germany yesterday from New York.

Early yesterday fire destroyed the building at Nos. 107 and 109 Lake street, Chicago, occupied by the Corbin Cabinet Lock Company, the Corbin Screw Company, the Robinson Furnace Company and George H. Bishop, manufacturer of hand saws. Total loss, $150,000.

The Board of Education of New York last night decided to raise the salaries of 500 employés of the department. The total increase will amount to about $124,000, and janitors, cleaners and deputy superintendents will be benefited.

When the New York grand jurors filed out of their room Wednesday after the four hours' session, they had not decided whether to return indictments against any of the officers of the New York Life Insurance Company, based on the testimony which has been submitted to them during the last two weeks.

Three children of Stanley Singleton, aged 13, 7 and 8 years, respectively, were cremated in a fire at Heater Station, near Weston, W. Va., Wednesday night, that destroyed the Singleton home. The fire started from an explosion of natural gas.

THE CITY IN BRIEF

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Policeman in a Hole.

Police Sergeant John Butler fell in a hole at Fifth and San Pedro streets last night and severely sprained his left ankle. He went to his home, and will not be able to resume his duties for at least a week. At the time he was hurt the sergeant was running to catch a street car.

"Jewish Toleration."

Tonight at 8 o'clock a service will be held by Sinai Congregation at No. 7[illegible] West Pico street. Cantor Katz, assisted by his choir, will officiate, and Rabbi Isidore Myers will deliver a sermon on "Jewish Toleration." On Saturday at the morning service Rabbi Myers will deliver an address on "Be a Man."

Will Address Veterans.

Rev. William Horace Day will deliver an address to the veterans this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in Memorial Hall, Soldiers' Home. His subject will be "Shipwrecked," and inasmuch as Dr. Day had just that experience on his recent trip to Japan, he will no doubt make the subject a most interesting one.

Late Christmas Festival.

The Fellowship Sunday-school will hold its Christmas festival this evening in Blanchard Hall. "The True Blues," the boy's club, are to present a play in three acts, entitled "The Old Miser's Christmas." An orchestra of young people organized for the occasion will assist and duets will be rendered. The frolics of Santa Claus and distribution of presents will be amusing.

Banks as Reserve Agents.

A Washington dispatch says that the Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles has been approved as reserve agent of the First National Bank of Santa Rosa, the National Bank of Commerce of St. Louis for the Citizens National Bank of Los Angeles; the New York National Exchange Bank for the First National Bank of Selma, and the California National Bank for the Phoenix National Bank of Phoenix, Ariz.

Aid for Veterans.

At its meeting last evening Camp Roosevelt, United Spanish War Veterans, instructed its legislative committee to protect, so far as it can, the right of franchise of veterans at the Soldiers' Home, which has been attacked by Milton K. Young in his contest of the election of F. W. Houser Superior Judge. Young seeks to have the Soldiers' Home vote thrown out. Camp Roosevelt will install officers next Thursday evening.

Strike Has No Effect Here.

Southern California shippers to eastern points have been considerably worried about the strike of the firemen on the Atlantic system of the Southern Pacific, which occurred Sunday. To quiet these alarms the local officials of the company secured the latest advices yesterday and found that while 600 firemen had struck, every place had been filled, and that shipments to the East will not be delayed at all on account of this strike. The trouble at first affected all of the road between El Paso and New Orleans, but it had been anticipated by the railroad company, and new men were en route to the two cities before the strike was called.

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Buy your fancy fruits, fresh vegetables and choice groceries of Hoke & Groyn, successors to Rivers Bros., corner Bray and Temple. Telephone Main 1425. Home, Exchange 1426. Special cranberries 10c a quart. Fancy baskets of fruits shipped to all parts of the United States.

J. W. Frey has moved his stock of mantels, grates, tiles and andirons to his warerooms, cor. Los Angeles and Twelfth streets, where can be seen the largest assortment of black and brass fireplace trimmings to be found in the United States. Lowest prices.

Ladies: All street and dress hats, including a few French patterns, will be closed out at cost. Also plumes sold at greatly reduced prices. Lillie C. Artrup's millinery parlors, 336-338 South Broadway, same building as Steckle's studio, second floor; take elevator.

Get in while our stock of pictures lasts. Greater price cuts have been made to reduce stock quickly. Now is the time to fill your home with pretty pictures. The McClellan-Kanst Co., 111 Winston st., below Main bet. 4th and 5th.

Ladies visit the Sample Shoe Shop. All shoes $2 a pair. All sizes. Regular $3.50, $4 and $5 values. Permanently located, 5th floor, Merchants Trust building, 207 S. Broadway. Salesroom 503.

Cummings, the shoe man, 4th and Broadway, says business is booming. Quality and honest prices always builds trade.

Drs. Hayden, osteopathic physicians, have removed to Temple Auditorium, suite 516. Residence, Hotel Chickasaw.

Henry J. Kramer will form an adult beginners' dancing class Thursday evening, January 3.

Furs—Largest stock fur novelties in city. D. Bonoff, Furrier, 212 S. B'way.

Children's shoe store, 204 S. B'dway.

TOM FITCH'S DUEL.

Mark Twain Tells of the Event in His Autobiography in the "North American."

[Mark Twain, North American Review:] In those early days dueling suddenly became a fashion in the new Territory of Nevada, and by 1864 everybody was anxious to have a chance in the new sport, mainly for the reason that he was not able to thoroughly respect himself so long as he had not killed or crippled somebody in a duel or been killed or crippled in one himself.

At that time I had been serving as city editor on Mr. Goodmans Virginia City Enterprise, for a matter of two years. I was 29 years old. I was ambitious in several ways, but I had entirely escaped the seductions of that particular craze. I had had no desire to fight a duel; I had no intention of provoking one. I did not feel respectable, but I got a certain amount of satisfaction out of feeling safe. I was ashamed of myself; the rest of the staff were ashamed of me—but I got along well enough. I had always been accustomed to feeling ashamed of myself, for one thing or another, so there was no novelty for me in the situation. I bore it very well. Plunkett was on the staff; R. M. Daggett was on the staff. These had tried to get into duels, but for the present had failed, and were waiting. Goodman was the only one of us who had done anything to shed credit upon the paper. The rival paper was the Virginia Union. Its editor for a little while was Tom Fitch, called the "silver-tongued orator of Wisconsin"—that was where he came from. He toned up his oratory in the editorial columns of the Union, and Mr. Goodman invited him out and modified him with a bullet. I remember the joy of the staff when Goodman's challenge was accepted by Fitch. We ran late that night, and made much of Joe Goodman. He was only 24 years old; he lacked the wisdom which a person has at 29, and he was as glad of being "it" as I was that I wasn't.

The Major (Joe Goodman's second) stood Joe up straight; stood Steve Gillis up fifteen paces away; made Joe turn right side toward Steve, cock his navy six-shooter—that prodigious weapon—and hold it straight down his leg; told him that that was the correct position for the gun—that the position ordinarily in use at Virginia City (that is to say,) the gun straight up in the air, then brought slowly down to your man) was all wrong. At the word "One," you must raise the gun slowly and steadily to the place on the other man's body that you desire to convince. Then, after a pause, "two, three—fire—Stop!" At the word "stop" you may fire—but not earlier. You may give yourself as much time as you please after that word. Then, when you fire, you may advance and go on firing at your leisure and pleasure, if you can get any pleasure out of it. And, in the meantime, the other man, if he has been properly instructed and is alive to his privileges, is advancing on you, and firing—and it is always likely that more or less trouble will result.

Naturally, when Joe's revolver had risen to a level it was pointing at Steve's breast, but the Major said: "No, that is not wise. Take all the risks of getting murdered yourself, but don't run any risk of murdering the other man. If you survive a duel you want to survive it in such a way that the memory of it will not linger along with you through the rest of your life and interfere with your sleep. Aim at your man's leg; not at the knee; not above the knee; for those are dangerous spots. Aim below the knee; cripple him, but leave the rest of him to his mother."

By grace of these truly wise and excellent instructions, Joe tumbled Fitch down next morning with a bullet through his lower leg, which furnished him a permanent limp. And Joe lost nothing but a lock of hair, which he could spare better then than he could now. For when I saw him here in New York a year ago, his crop was gone; he had nothing much left but a fringe, with a dome rising above.

BIG WATER CASE BEGUN.

Suit Filed by Foreigners to Prevent Diverting of Subterranean Water from Artesian Wells.

John Fletcher Moulton and Herbert Bulkley Praed, through their agent, W. E. Pedley, of Riverside, have filed suit against the Riverside Water Company and the Riverside Land Company, in the United States District Court. Moulton and Praed are capitalists of London, who are large property owners in Riverside. The question at issue concerns water rights, and the action is one in equity, in which they ask that the defendant companies be enjoined from diverting subterranean waters by means of artesian wells.

Among other properties, the plaintiffs own the right to 150 inches of water. Part of this is furnished by two artesian wells, and another part is through a right to slightly less than half of the flow of Warm Creek, as diverted by the McKenzie ditch and dam.

These rights and the property of the plaintiffs lie in what is known as the San Bernardino artesian basin. In this basin the defendant companies have bored artesian wells, and are conveying the water from them to lands outsides the basin, which it is alleged in the complaint they have no right to do. It is also alleged that this has resulted in diminishing the flow enjoyed by the complainants, and they claim that their rights are thus invaded.

The bill asks that the right of the complainants to the water be sustained, and that the companies be enjoined from diverting any of it.

For the first time in many days, the United States Circuit Court yesterday was free of any move by either side in the investigation of the Santa Fé rebate cases by the grand jury. The grand jury did not sit, and the Santa Fé did not apply for any restraining order or move to quash any subpoenas. The time of the grand jury is getting short, and it is expected that when it convenes today at 2 o'clock, important evidence will be brought before it in an attempt to dispose of the cases.

FIGUEROA LOTS SELL FAST.

Egil Firth reports that up to date 348 lots, aggregating $180,279, have been sold in his Figueroa Boulevard tract, recently placed on the market. The tract has standard street improvements, wide cement walks and curbs, graded and oiled streets, water piped in large, substantial mains and other improvements of high character. It is in the new city limits, has half a mile of frontage on Figueroa boulevard, and a quarter of a mile on Florence avenue. It is one block from the Monetaavenue car line and one block from the Gardena division of the Redondo line and the San Pedro Inter-Urban line. The lots are fifty feet wide and sell from $500 upward. Land there which could have been bought three years ago at $275 an acre is now selling at $1600 an acre.

AUDIENCE GREETS HICKS.

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] About 600 people greeted Lindsay B. Hicks, the resurrected miner at Armory Hall tonight. Harry Linville delivered a short address. The rescued miner was given an enthusiastic reception and received and shook hands with many in the audience. W. J. Schmidt, Hicks's manager, will go to Los Angeles tomorrow night to arrange for his appearance in that city, commencing January 2.

QUEEN HELENA AN ARTIST.

NAPLES, Dec. 27.—Under the guidance of Signor Ciaclisco, the artist, Queen Helena, has perfected herself in the execution of water colors, and pastels. Some of her pictures will be sent to an exhibition at Venice, but under an assumed name as the Queen wishes to keep her identity secret.

VITAL RECORD {BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES.

Births.

WHITTEN. In this city, 427 Boonie Brae st., December 26th, 1906. To Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Whitten, a daughter.

Deaths.

WEIXEL. December 27, Ellen Weixel, beloved mother of Mrs. William Jochum. Funeral private.

DE LANO. Justin S. De Lano, beloved father of C. S. De Lano, aged 57 years. Funeral Sunday, 2:30 p.m., at residence, No. 2630 West Eighth street. Friends invited.

CAMPBELL. In this city, December 24, William A. Campbell, beloved husband of Sophia Campbell, a native of Ohio, aged 31 years. Funeral today (Friday), December 28, at 9:30 a.m. from parlors of Booth & Boylson, No. 629 South Spring street, thence to Cathedral where requiem mass will be celebrated for repose of his soul at 10 a.m. Cleveland and New York papers please copy.

FLOOD. Andy P. Flood died at home, No. 1454 San Pedro street, aged 32 years, native of Los Angeles. Notice of funeral later.

GERKENS. December 26, 1906, Jacob Gerkens, father of Mrs. John Hunter of Tropico, aged 66 years. Funeral services will be held at the chapel of Robert L. Garrett & Co., 1227 South Flower street, Friday, December 28, at 11 a.m. Friends invited.

ROSS. December 27, John Ross, aged 81. Funeral at 2 p.m., Saturday from the chapel of Riedeman & Meyer, 1420 S. Main. Friends invited.

WEBSTER. December 26, 1906, Arnon Webster, aged 77 years. Funeral from the chapel of Robert L. Garrett & Co., 1227 S. Flower st., today at 2:30 p.m.

LINDSEY. At his residence, No. 5525 Monte Vista st., December 26, 1906, William Albert, beloved husband of Anna E. Lindsey, father of Cora M., William A. and George M. Lindsey, aged 54 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence today at 1:30 o'clock p.m. Interment Rosedale.

WISE. At 518 Turner st., December 27th, Charles A., beloved brother of J. Wesley and Frank H. Wise, Mrs. Emma Gourley and Josie Siefert, a native of Indiana, aged 49 years. Funeral from above residence, Sunday at 2 p.m.

Marriages.

LOCKYER-GILMORE. William R. Lockyer, aged 35, a native of England, and Mamie Gilmore, aged 21, a native of Pennsylvania; both residents of Los Angeles.

GAUME-BUFFINGTON. Victor P. Gaume, aged 25, a native of France, and a resident of Oxnard, and Millie M. Buffington, aged 26, a native of Pennsylvania, and a resident of Los Angeles.

ROSENBLUM-BRODY. Sam Rosenblum, aged 51, a native of Russia, and Bessie Brody, aged 19, a native of Russia; both residents of Los Angeles.

GARNER-KELLER. Edward J. Garner, aged 23, a native of Missouri, and Ethelyn J. Keller, aged 21, a native of Los Angeles; both residents of Los Angeles.

TOWNSEND-KEMP. Albert E. Townsend, aged 32, a native of England, and Jessie Kemp, aged 21, a native of England; both residents of Los Angeles.

DAVIS-CARROLL. Jesse W. Davis, aged 30, a native of Utah, and Ora F. Corrall, aged 22, a native of Kentucky; both residents of Los Angeles.

PEACH-JAMES. Edward N. Leach, aged 61, a native of Michigan, and Alice A. James, aged 56, a native of Vermont; both residents of Los Angeles.

MAPLE-ATCHLEY. Edwin R. Maple, aged 39, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Phoenix, Ariz., and Virgina Atchley, aged 30, a native of Missouri, and a resident of Los Angeles.

O'HARA-ELLSWORTH. Frank O'Hara, aged 24, a native of New York, and Ina A. Ellsworth, aged 21, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

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JAP GETS "CORNER," POTATOES GO HIGH.

Secret of Soaring Prices Is Out, but He'll Clear Quarter Million—American Company "Catches on" to Make Money Also.

HERE, AT LAST, is the secret of the high prices Los Angeles and all California are paying for potatoes: Kinya Shima, a little Japanese of Stockton, has practically "cornered" the market, has the situation in his grasp, and virtually is the dictator of the market.

That's why the housewife who orders two-bits' worth of "spuds" must have sharp eyesight or use a microscope to find the package. The shrewd slant-eyed manipulator has brought about a remarkable condition of affairs—and an expensive one to potato consumers.

An American concern, James Higgins & Company of San Francisco and Los Angeles, also has a "finger in the pie." It saw what Shima was about to accomplish, and took hold in time to help him do some of the dictating, and clean up perhaps $20,000, to his $250,000.

The result so far visible to the naked eye is that potato prices have soared in six weeks from $1.37½ per hundred pounds, in carload lots, to $1.67½. And they are still soaring. There's no telling where they will stop.

Dealers who have ordered supplies of eastern and northern potatoes say there is no prospect that these can be sold any lower than the prices placed on locally-grown potatoes, on account of the risk of shipment and the excessively high freight rates; that high prices will prevail until next season.

California "spuds" have attained the proud distinction of being "cornered." The consumers will pay.

The Los Angeles housewives who simply can't get along without them must make up their minds to place the "spuds" way up on the same pedestal occupied by butter and eggs. While potatoes are not yet worth quite their weight in gold, they are advancing in price so rapidly that a "two-bit" sack of this staple dwindles down to mighty small proportions.

It is an open secret that Los Angeles housewives, or at least nine-tenths of them, buy their potatoes only by the "two-bits" worth. And this method pleases the dealer, too, for obvious reasons.

Within the past six weeks the price of potatoes has crawled upward from $1.37½ per 100 pounds to a figure that yesterday reached $1.67½, by carload lots. And the top notch is not yet reached, according to the views of local produce dealers.

This means a retail price of $2.10 a sack, with the prospect that they may reach $2.25 very soon.

KINYA SHIMA STARTS IT.

The cause? Japs!

It is another case of the shrewdness of the "Oriental Yankee." And after he has created the situation, American dealers are not slow to take advantage of it.

The Japanese companies controlled by Kinya Shima, with headquarters at Stockton, stand to sell their potato crop for over $1,000,000. Shima himself will clean up over a quarter of a million dollars out of the deal.

James Higgins & Co., the American dealers, who followed in the path blazed by Shima, expect to stow away at least $20,000 as profits on potato sales during the ensuing month.

Kinya Shima, who is well known in Los Angeles Japanese circles, has at last accomplished what he has dreamed of and planned during the past six years. He has made himself the "Potato King" of California.

Like almost every other success, it has taken steady, persistent work. The public hears of Shima's winning and sees on the surface only the peculiar combination of circumstances which compelled the Japanese potato grower to make money out of his crop.

As a matter of fact, Shima has had this finale in mind ever since he first leased a tract of potato land in the Sacramento Valley, years ago.

His history is an interesting one. He came to California a dozen years ago, and was equipped with a good Japanese education, having been graduated from the Waseda University at Tokio; but he was poor in money. Looking about for what seemed the best opening, Shima heard of the wonderful crops of potatoes raised in the valleys of this State, and he then formed the plan to become a powerful factor among the potato raisers.

STARTS IN SMALL WAY.

He leased a small tract of land, and his first attempts were utter failures. But Shima had perseverance; he gathered about him all the government reports on potato culture; tried experiments in potato treatments; made a thorough study of everything he could get hold of which had any bearing on potato culture, and kept at potato planting.

K. Tozawa, cashier of the San Francisco branch of the Yokohama Bank, who had watched Shima's application, had faith in his final success, and after the man's failure, supplied him with the necessary funds to carry him through. The next crop was an immense one, and gave Shima great encouragement.

He kept on with the work, and as a result, year after year saw an extension of Kinya Shima's land leases, until he and the Japanese companies which he controlled had possession of nearly all the best potato land of the California valleys.

A year ago Shima decided the time was ripe to try to make his "corner." But it was a dismal failure. Somewhere there were thousands of sacks of "spuds" that Shima hadn't heard about, and when he shoved up the prices on his own stock he found these sacks coming out of warehouses he never heard of before, and the market was broken.

But Shima profited by the lesson of his first potato failure, and stuck to his idea. Now he will reap the profit of tens of thousands of dollars. Every Los Angeles household will pay tribute to Kinya Shima this season. He can go back to Japan, traveling in style, like an Oriental prince, and the "spuds" will pay for it all.

Shima got control of all the potato land possible under his own leaseholds. He then formed a mutual company among all the other Japanese leaseholders and got himself elected their manager. The few Chinese potato raisers along the valley sided with these Japs, rather than with the white men engaged in potato raising.

When the crop was gathered the Americans freely marketed their potatoes, getting the usual prices. Somehow Americans found that their potatoes were in demand, and they soon closed out their crops. Then it dawned upon them that the Japs were not marketing their crops. Not only this, but Shima was quietly purchasing all the stock that came his way, and about the only potatoes left were those raised by the Chinese.

AMERICANS "CATCH ON."

At this period of the game, James Higgins & Co. of San Francisco and Los Angeles, awoke to the true situation, and within a few days this firm had buyers out scouring the whole country for potatoes. They raised the price so that growers were glad to sell to them, and kept this up until they had gathered in 40,000 sacks of "spuds," which they placed in warehouses at Fresno and Stockton.

Higgins & Co. succeeded in capturing 20 per cent. of the potato crop not already controlled by Kinya Shima before the Chinese growers became wise and jumped their prices 'way up out of reach. But the American firm and the Japanese grower had things just where they wanted them, and were willing the owners of the small amount of potatoes still left should hold on to them.

Then the market began to creep up, 2 or 3 cents a day, and it is still creeping.

Of course, there is a limit; for Los Angeles merchants have ordered many carload lots of potatoes from Wisconsin, Minnesota, Idaho and Oregon. But there is the heavy freight rate in these cases to keep up prices, and there is the risk of loss by frost and delay, incident to the poor service given on freight by the railways. The freight from any of the points mentioned amounts to 75 cents per 100 pounds.

ON THE RUN—UPWARD.

And, in the meantime, Kinya Shima and James Higgins & Co. have the potato crop market on the run—and it's running upward. Those who know say that the Shima lands have yielded an average of 150 sacks of potatoes an acre. He and his companies control leases on 7000 acres, so that Shima has control of at least 1,000,000 bags of "spuds." It is estimated that the cost of growing and marketing will reach not quite 50 cents per sack; and while the Japanese combined will get over $1,000,000 for their crop, Shima himself will net at least $250,000 as his share for manipulating their affairs.

The Los Angeles market calls for the consumption of an average of seven carloads of potatoes a day; so that a heavy tribute from this city will be exacted by the men who stand to make a fortune out of one potato crop. There will be no lower potato prices until next year's crop matures, and, even then, the Japs will be in the field.

PUMP FISH FROM WELLS.

Ranchmen at Hynes Feast on Finny Food Out of Land's Depths.

Ranchmen at Hynes, six miles north of Long Beach, are raising great quantities of clear, fresh water from the earth's depths, and with about every stroke of the large pumps live fish ranging from six to twelve inches in length are drawn from the underground stream and sent with a rush down the sluiceways to the irrigation ditches, many miles from the nearest surface waterway, and six miles from the ocean.

Charles Luther, a farmer from Maine, who is caring for twenty acres owned by Mrs. Seivert of this city, when he first saw the fish didn't believe his own eyes, and it required the testimony of his neighbors, among them Dist.-Atty. Fredericks, to convince him that they were not only live fish, but good to eat.

Since the first fish was captured, cooked and fried, many hundreds have been collected and the ranchmen have ceased to wonder, as Luther expresses the opinion that Hynes is directly over a great underground river. Fifteen ranches are supplied from one pumping plant, owned jointly, and there is water for all and plenty to spare. No one has seemed to know whether the fish can see, although all that have been caught have eyes. The ranchmen incline to the belief that carried underground from some faraway outer stream, they have not been shut away long enough to lose their sight.

HE'S THE REAL "POTATO KING" OF CALIFORNIA.

The little Stockton Japanese who has corralled the elusive "spud" and is making the consumer pay him for his trouble.

LONG DEFERED GIFT.

Watch Promised Five Years Ago Presented to W. D. Climo at Dinner in Jonathan Club.

More than five years ago W. D. Climo, at that time manager of the mines, was promised a gold watch when the Shannon Copper Company should pay its first dividend. Since that time the control of the mine has passed into other hands, and Mr. Climo is no longer manager of it. But in recognition of the work he did in developing the property, when the first dividend was declared, December 20, the former owners expressed from New York one of Tiffany's masterpieces.

C. M. Shannon, discoverer of the mine and long-time friend of Mr. Climo, was host last night at a dinner at the Jonathan Club, where Mr. Climo was guest of honor, and the watch was properly presented to him.

The watch is a superb piece of work, severely plain except for Mr. Climo's monogram. It is the gift of W. D. Thompson, one time of Butte, but now of New York, who was the first president of the Shannon Copper Company. Other former members of the company presented Mr. Climo with a chair, a charm, and a pencil studded with diamonds.

Mr. Thompson has been much in the public eye recently, as he is reported to have cleaned up more than $10,000,000 in Nipissing. Speaking of the copper conditions last night, Mr. Shannon said that this amount was overstated, but that Mr. Thompson had made between $4,000,000 and $6,000,000.

"The next development of the copper country will be along the western edge of Arizona, instead of the eastern, where the Shannon mine is," said Mr. Shannon. "There are large deposits all along the Colorado River, and I expect that much copper will be found on the California side.

"Although this will be the next development, and a large one, the largest copper development of the future will be in Alaska, I believe. I think so so strongly that I am going to send a man into that region as soon as possible in the spring."

Besides the host and the guest of honor, there were present at the dinner: George A. Schroter, a mining man of New York; Albert Searle, N. M. Nordfeet, Reese Llewellyn, Frank H. Judson, F. T. Griffith and W. J. Cox.

HAD A JAG, NO WINGS.

Flores Tries to Fly From Fourth-street Bridge and Is Dug Out of the Sand Uninjured.

Antonio Flores tried to take unto himself the wings of a dove yesterday on the Fourth-street bridge. The patrol wagon's officers had some difficulty in shoveling him from the sand in the river bed, but when Flores got to the Receiving Hospital surgeons found he had no broken bones.

Through an interpreter Flores confessed that he was "a little intoxicated." He indignantly denied that he was drunk. Somehow he did not know how he jumped off the edge of the bridge. Strangely enough, the long fall resulted in no serious injury. The man came here recently from Juarez, Mex.

QUICK PROFIT ON FLOWER.

The Herron Realty Company reports the sale of the house and lot at Nos. 928-30-32 South Flower street, which was owned by the Mercereau Bridge and Construction Company, and was sold to a local syndicate for $25,500. The lot is fifty feet wide by 155 in depth, with a six-flat building of frame construction rented for $141 a month. Three months ago the bridge construction firm bought the property from John Alderson for $22,000. The company also reports the sale of No. 838 South Flower for William Wright to Mary Wieligman. The lot is 50x150 feet, and improved with an eight-room two-story frame residence. The purchase price was $8500. Ida M. Bosley sold through the same agents to Mrs. Mary Woodcock a vacant lot on Flower street, 250 feet south of Sixteenth, consideration said to be $8500.

MASONS BUY TEMPLE SITE.

NEW HOME TO BE AT FIGUEROA AND PICO STREETS.

Hundred Thousand Dollars Is Paid for Property on Which Handsome Structure Is to Be Erected at Once, Replacing Hill-street Quarters Recently Sold to Railroad.

A deal was closed yesterday whereby the Masons of Los Angeles come into possession of a handsome site for their proposed new Masonic Temple. The site selected is the southwest corner of Figueroa and Pico streets.

This tract, which has been the property of Mrs. Adelle Lauth, has frontage of 104 feet on Figueroa street, and of 175 feet on Pico street, to a twenty-foot alley. There is a two-story frame dwelling on the property. The purchase price was $100,000.

The deal was consummated by William D. Stephens, Grand Captain General of the Knights Templar for California, and he acted as a special committee appointed by the various Masonic bodies which have had quarters in the Masonic Temple on South Hill street.

The temple was sold six weeks ago to the Los Angeles-Pacific Company as a site for its great electric railway station, and the change necessitated immediate action toward securing a new site for a Masonic temple. The Masons received $185,000 for their Hill-street holding, and this gives them a handsome starter for a building fund on the new enterprise.

The new site is considered especially well located on account of its accessibility. The Pico Heights line runs along the north side of the property, the Washington-street line along the Figueroa-street frontage, the University line is only one block away, on Flower street; the Grand-avenue line is three blocks east; the Eleventh-street line two blocks north; the Inter-Urban lines on Georgia street only a half block to the west, and all the Santa Monica cars only two blocks south, on Sixteenth street.

Articles of incorporation for the new Masonic Temple Association have been forwarded to the Secretary of State at Sacramento. The capital stock will be $150,000, and the incorporators are: William D. Stephens, Niles Pease, W. P. Jeffries, John F. Hughes, W. R. Hervey, H. W. Frank, George L. Kyte, Oscar C. Morgan, Dana R. Weller, William H. Gaynor and H. A. Shelton.

On the new site it is proposed to erect a three-story structure to cost at least $150,000. While the details have not yet been worked out, it is probable there will be six storerooms on the Figueroa-street front and three on the Pico-street side. The building will occupy the entire ground area. The second and third stories will be arranged with all the conveniences of modern lodge rooms and assembly halls.

Plans are to be completed as soon as possible and work is to begin so that the various Masonic bodies may have the use of their new home by the time they are forced to leave the old temple, which will be some time during December of next year.

The organizations which will find a home in the new temple are the Los Angeles Commandery, Knights Templar; Signet Chapter and Los Angeles Chapter, Royal Arch Masons; the Blue lodges of Southern California, Pentalpha, Westgate, Los Angeles, Valle de France; the various chapters of the Eastern Star, and probably several others. It is estimated that at least 5000 Masons will be directly affected by this change in location.

The Masonic Temple on South Hill street was erected ten years ago at a cost of $50,000. At that time there was a great cry raised that the Masons were going out into the suburban section with their building, but the growth of the city proved the wisdom of the choice.

The sale of the new site was made through the agency of W. I. Hollingsworth & Co.

CITY COUNCIL REPUBLICANS

Get Important Committees in First Caucus.

Quint and Garrett Chiefs at City Hospital.

Lyons of the Seventh Gets Only Surprise.

The first caucus of the new Council was held Wednesday night. Eight members were present. Yonkin was on his way to San Quinten with a county prisoner and could not attend.

Niles Pease was elected president of the Council on the first ballot. The vote could not be made unanimous, as he modestly stamped a ticket for Wallace.

The membership of all the important committees was chosen by secret ballot. A few committees are still incomplete. At the close of the caucus the following selections had been made:

President, Niles Pease, Non-Partisan

LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.

Blanchard, Republican.
Wallace, Republican and Non-Partisan.
Wren, Non-Partisan.

SUPPLY COMMITTEE.

Healy, Republican.
Wren, Non-Partisan.
Yonkin, Republican.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Wallace, Republican and Non-Partisan.
Blanchard, Republican.
Dromgold, Non-Partisan.

GAS AND LIGHT COMMITTEE.

Clampitt, Republican.
Healy, Republican.
Lyons, Republican.

BRIDGE COMMITTEE.

Dromgold, Non-Partisan.
Blanchard, Republican.

SEWER COMMITTEE.

Yonkin, Republican.

BUILDING COMMITTEE.

Blanchard, Republican.
Clampitt, Republican.
Dromgold, Non-Partisan.

SURGEONS AT RECEIVING HOSPITAL.

Quint. Garrett.

The Councilman whose name appears first is the chairman of each committee.

On the leading committees the Non-Partisans are fairly well represented, but the slate shows that the complexion of the Council is Republican. Pease owes his selection as chairman to Blanchard, the Republican leader at the City Hall.

The Non-Partisans made a show of standing out for one chief surgeon at the Police Station, but when they came to cast their ballots each voted for two.

Four Republicans and four Non-Partisans participated, but the political lines were not drawn. There was not a tie vote during the evening.

About the only surprise of the evening came to Lyons, the infant legislator from the Seventh Ward. Lyons is new at the political game, but he conceived a plot that he thought would catch the veterans.

Dr. Clark is a close personal friend of Lyons. Clark supported the Non-Partisan ticket. He told Lyons that the Non-Partisan committee promised him the votes of their Councilmen for a place as police surgeon. There are four Non-Partisans. With Lyons he was a certain winner.

Lyons wrestled with this problem for two weeks. He did not like to throw his Republican comrades right at the outset, but he wanted Clark for police surgeon. Wednesday night he wrote Clark's name on his ballot and cautiously slipped it into the hat.

When the ballots were counted there was just one for Clark, Dr. Quint received eight votes and Dr. Garrett five.

IMPORTANT TO COME.

The most important committee of all is yet to be appointed. The new Council expects to create a Public Utility Committee to take the place of the old Board of Public Works. But this committee cannot be created until the new Council is formally organized.

Franchise applications and the annual reports of public utility companies will be referred to this committee for investigation and report. Its most important duty will be to fix the price for gas, electric light and telephone service. Under the terms of an ordinance adopted a year ago the maximum price which may be charged for these utilities is fixed yearly by the Council.

One more caucus will be held by the Councilmen-elect before they formally organize. This will probably take place Tuesday night.

WILL TOUCH BOGIE.

Than Phantom Will Disappear—Goldfield Mine Owners to Break Strangle Hold of I.W.W.

"The present trouble in Goldfield between the employers and the Western Federation of Miners has been caused by the leaders of the union, who for the most part are men who, were deported from Colorado about two years ago," said T. W. Young, a prominent mining man from that district, who arrived at the Angelus yesterday.

"The workers in the mines are satisfied and they can have the advance in wages asked without any trouble, but the mine owners have determined to repudiate the union as a whole, owing to the renegade fellows at the head of it," he continued.

"I recall an instance, last summer which resulted in one of the officials of the union being ousted from his job. The man's name was Barrie and he was secretary of the organization. Barrie came to my office and made the threat that if the mine owners did not do certain things that he would call a strike and followed this up with the statement that it was not always comfortable for any one who opposed the miners' union and that the law was as nothing to his organization.

"This worried me somewhat and I talked to all of the miners I personally knew and my friends did likewise. The result was that the same evening the members of the organization arose and denounced Barrie and forced him to quit his position. The truth of the matter is that the men are tired of the union and its bickerings and treachery. The time is ripe for a lock-out of every member of the union and during the next two weeks this will be done. The first step will then be taken to break the throttle hold the organization has upon Goldfield and its surroundings."

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

City Attorney Mathews recommended to the Council yesterday a form of ordinance granting subway permits to the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Company untrammeled by time limit restrictions.

The Council passed a special order yesterday directing the Auditor to make good the $60,000 shortage in the storm sewer fund by transferring money from the cash fund.

W. L. Adams, former chief engineer of the Southern Pacific, has been appointed chief examiner of applicants for civil service positions.

H. Stricklin, is sued by Charles C. Flint, as guardian for Dallas Damal, to recover $2000. It is claimed that the money was obtained under pretence of building a home for the aged and feeble.

By stipulation a receiver was yesterday appointed for the Chicago Home Company, and it is claimed the stockholders will not lose anything.

A. S. Van Degrift has begun a contest to oust E. A. Clampitt, the successful Republican candidate for Councilman from the Second Ward. It is alleged that Van Degrift, Non-Partisan candidate, was deprived of many votes by the precinct election officers.

A tedious suit brought by the contractors and material men employed at the time the Bisbee Inn was built, was decided by Judge York yesterday.

The Osborne family was acquitted of the charge of malicious mischief by a jury before Justice Austin yesterday for slicing one end off their former home.

The notorious Sanchez family was held for trial in the Superior Court on charges of shoplifting.

E. A. West, convicted of failing to support his little son, was given a suspended sentence on condition that he look after the child properly.

AT THE CITY HALL.

WILL WAIVE TIME LIMIT.

ATTORNEY MATHEWS FAVORS SUBWAY PERMITS.

Promises to Present Ordinances Granting Concessions Untrammeled by Twenty-one-Year Clause. Railway Agrees to Build Tunnel and Take Chances on Revocation.

City Attorney Mathews and Attorney Pope reached a tentative agreement yesterday concerning the subway permits for the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway on West Fourth and North Hill streets. This was not affected until the two attorneys were brought together on the floor of the Council.

While the Councilmen sat in their seats still in session, the City Attorney and the attorney for the railway company discussed in whispers the applications for the subways.

The Los Angeles-Pacific Company will receive permits unhampered by the twenty-one-year time limit.

The City Attorney will insert in the ordinance a clause prohibiting the carrying of freight through the subways.

Whenever the city needs the space under the street for public improvement the railway company must give way.

All trains must stop at Flower street.

The plans for the subway must be approved by the Board of Public Works.

Electricity is the only motive power permitted.

No attempt will be made to regulate the fares to the beaches.

The company will receive twenty-one-year franchises for the crossings at Flower street and Vermont avenue.

These provisions will be submitted in the ordinance Monday, subject to approval by the Council. Mr. Mathews reported adversely on the drafts of ordinances prepared by the attorneys for the railway company; he said that the interests of the people are not sufficiently protected. He declined to present an ordinance granting to the railway a franchise in which the time limit should not be specified.

"In my opinion," said Mr. Mathews to the Council, "the charter applies to subways. It is broad and specific and it covers this point.

"I would not object to a permit for the tunnels under the streets, provided they are similar in form to the ones which are granted for short-distance tunnels and excavations in the business district. I believe the company has a right to use space under the streets where it owns the land on both sides provided the purpose is a reasonable one, so long as the space is not needed for a public improvement.

"The charter contemplates that the terms shall be specified in each franchise: the railway company must accept these permits at its own risk."

Attorney Pope objected to some of the stipulations which Mr. Mathews desires to place in the ordinances; these objections will be argued at length before the Council next Monday. The legislators were desirous of voting the permits at yesterday's session, but Mr. Mathews said that sufficient data has not been furnished his office to enable it to describe the route of the tunnel west of Vermont avenue.

Protesting against so many technical delays, the Council voted grudgingly to postpone further consideration of the permits until next Monday.

City Attorney Mathews agreed with the attorneys for the railway that the Council cannot regulate fares outside the city limits, also that the owners of abutting property have certain privileges under the streets so long as these do not interfere with a public improvement.

"I think the city should indulge this project as far as possible," said Mr. Mathews, "provided such indulgence does not conflict with any of the provisions of the State law or the city charter."

Hinging on the issue of these permits are improvements that contemplate the expenditure of more than $5,000,000. They are probably of more importance than any franchise ever granted to a utility company by the Council.

The aggregate length of the subways is about six miles. Wherever they run the land on the roof belongs to the Harriman interests, except the street crossings. Eight permits in all will be required; five of these will be franchises, one of which will be offered for sale by the Council. The subway permits are the first of their kind contemplated for a western municipality, and there is no precedent for the guidance of the City Attorney's office.

Concurrent with the issue of the subway permits the Council will pass ordinances providing for a joint railway and highway tunnel on Hill street, between First and Temple streets; these ordinances are all prepared; they have been held in abeyance for the reason that the railway declined to build a tunnel south of Temple street before it is assured of a permit for a similar tunnel north of that thoroughfare.

Twenty minutes to Santa Monica and Venice, and ten minutes to Hollywood is the time promised by the officials of the Los Angeles-Pacific when their through express trains are placed in operation.

BOYLE HEIGHTS WINS.

BLOCKS ROYAL ARCH.

The Royal Arch went down to defeat almost without a struggle at yesterday afternoons' session of the Council. The legislators declined to father any further liquor legislation. "Pop" Blanchard went so far as to decline to let the incoming Council act on Goytino's application for an extension of the saloon zone so as to embrace a portion of the Ninth Ward. He emerged for an executive meeting of the Legislation Committee bearing in triumph a recommendation that this application be "filed."

The leaders of the liquor forces took this as final, and withdrew; but the riff-raff floated about the City Hall until the Council voted unanimously in accordance with the committee's recommendation.

This came as a pleasing surprise to a delegation of Ninth Warders, who came to the Council to protest against the attempted invasion of the Royal Arch. A hysterical forecast in an evening paper gave them the impression that the Council had actually voted to increase the saloon zone.

Attorneys for the wholesale and retail liquor dealers scurried for cover, carrying with them half-framed ordinances that they had hoped to slip through the Council at its closing sessions. The legislators have announced definitely that they will have nothing further to do with liquor legislation.

NEW CHIEF EXAMINER.

PLUM FOR RAILROAD MAN.

W. L. Adams, former chief engineer of the Southern Pacific company, is the new examiner of the Civil Service Commission. He won his portfolio in a competitive contest, for which there were eight entries.

During the last ten days the commissioners have been meeting in executive session to examine the applicants. Questions and answers were delivered and received orally, and there are no records of the examination. Adams brought excellent references. He is a graduate of the Rensalear Polytechnic Engineering School, and has thirty years' practical experience.

The other competitors were Capt. Charles Kiener, F. C. Mulkey, W. H. Knight, C. E. Burns, L. B. Cochran, Melville Dozier and P. H. Grace.

A month ago the Council created the position of examiner for the Civil Service Commission; it carries a salary of $150 a month. During the last four years the commission has selected examiners who seemed best fitted for the special branch in which the applicants' services would be required. Sometimes this worked well, at others it was a rank failure.

Mayor McAleer tells a good story of an Irish carpenter whom the Mayor sent to take the examination for a place in the crossing builders' crew.

The next afternoon the Mayor met the applicant on the street and asked him how he fared.

"I didn't fare at all," said the burly carpenter, "I quit 'em. The first thing they did was to set me down at a punky little kid's seat in a schoolhouse and give me a list of questions to write answers to on paper. Now I didn't want a job writing copybooks; I want to handle a saw and ax.

"But I looked at the list. One of the first things I see was:

"'If a car wheel is so many inches in diameter, how often would it turn round goin' from here to 'Frisco?'

"'Now phat th' blazes did that have to do wid me builden crosswalks?' The other questions were like that, only worse. I quit 'em."

BARE CASH FUND.

COUNCIL MISCELLANY.

There was a general cleaning up of old files at yesterday afternoon's session of the Council. Four committees reported on all petitions and protests referred to them for consideration. A few choice salary plums were passed about, but the only important legislation was a special order instructing the Auditor to make good the $60,000 shortage in the storm-sewer fund by transferring the necessary amount for the cash fund.

Doc Howton succeeded in lobbying through an ordinance creating the position of superintendent of the detention hospital, with an attached salary of $250 a month. Blanchard was the only Councilman to oppose the ordinance. At noon the health board met, presumably to recommend the passage of this ordinance. But the commissioners declined to be programmed, and the ordinance came to the Council from nowhere. Howton expects to receive the appointment from the next health board.

The Council was apparently very desirous of winning the approbation of the Mayor-elect. An emergency ordinance increases the salary of H. L. Kennedy, secretary to the Mayor-elect, from $125 to $200 a month. This ordinance Mayor McAleer signed fifteen minutes after its adoption.

President Summerland served for only half the session. About the middle of the afternoon he bade his comrades farewell, and left the city for the North to get ready for his new position as Railroad Commissioner.

Attorney Dockweiler secured the passage of an ordinance granting a concession to a fertilizer company to establish a plant near the old city dump in the Sixth Ward. He won only after a wordy battle with Blanchard, who favors the present ordinance prohibiting the establishment of fertilizer works inside the city limits. Dockweiler remained in the Council chamber for a short time enjoying his victory over the Ninth Ward. Five minutes after he left the Council voted to reconsider its vote on the ordinance. Dockweiler must make his fight all over again next Monday.

Councilman Smith opposed the adoption of an amendment changing the present limits in the oil storage ordinance. The draft of the ordinance presented is one that has been before the Council for two years. Smith urged that consideration of the proposed alterations in the limits of the districts where oil may be stored should be reserved for the new Council. Blanchard and Healy acquiesced, but the attorneys for the refineries succeeded in winning a postponement to next Monday only. This will bring the ordinance before the present Council for final action.

A demand for $36,400 for voting machines passed the Council for about the 'steenth time. It is the final attempt to get the money from the treasury under this administration. Mayor McAleer and Treasurer Workman are resisting payment of the demand.

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AT THE COURTHOUSE.

RAISES MONEY FOR THE POOR.

AGED ENTHUSIAST CONTRIBUTES TO RELIGIOUS SCHEME.

Guardian of Dallas Damal Sues H. Stricklin, Claiming He Took Advantage of His Ward's Mental Feebleness to Borrow Money Upon False Representations.

H. Stricklin has hit upon a new way to raise a loan, and Charles C. Flint is after him in the courts to refund. Flint, however, is acting in behalf of an old man of 72 years named Dallas Damal, whom, it is alleged, Stricklin worked by playing upon his weakness of mind and religious enthusiasm.

For several years, it is claimed that old man Damal has been debilitated in mind and body, and has not really been able to attend to any business affairs. But he has been an ardent religionist, and Stricklin sympathized with him in this regard. Discussing the responsibilities that bear upon men, Stricklin told the old man that it had come to him that it would be a fine plan to found an orphan asylum and home for the aged and infirm.

Mr. Damal thought so, too, and together the matter was discussed. Stricklin told his aged friend that he had the plan well worked out in his mind, but that of course philanthropic enterprises always took money to start them going. He suggested that if Mr. Damal would loan him $600 he certainly would be fulfilling the will of the Lord, and when the home for the aged was started he, as one of the founders, would be one of the star boarders, and would end his days happily viewing the good work he had helped inaugurate.

Mr. Damal surrendered the $600, and Stricklin is alleged to have given an unsecured note for the amount.

The first "touch" having been successful, a second was made. This time Stricklin is claimed to have induced Mr. Damal to mortgage his property for $1750, to again aid in the founding of the orphans' asylum. The old man thought he was doing a good work and would have a place for his failing years. Stricklin told him he should be superintendent of the home, and that the plans were being matured rapidly for the combined philanthropic institution.

Getting hold of the second loan, Stricklin forgot all about the religious side of the transaction, and Charles C. Flint, as guardian of Dallas Damal, is now seeing to recover the combined amount of $2250 loaned without consideration. It is alleged that formal notice of recission of both contracts were served upon Stricklin, but so far he has held onto the money.

FIGHTING OVER BUTTONS.

CROWD AT JAXON'S TRIAL.

The buttons which were supposed to mark the crucial point in the prosecution of J. C. C. Jaxon, on trial for the murder of James A. Logan, on the Raymond golf links, were introduced yesterday, and made less of a sensation than was anticipated. At the same time they formed a suggestive link in the long chain of circumstances tending to connect Jaxon with the killing.

For the first time a crowd turned out to watch the proceedings in court. There was a large sprinkling of negroes, for among colored circles in this city, as well as at Pasadena, the greatest interest in the outcome of the trial is felt.

To the introduction of the black mask found lying on Logan's body, as well as to the filing in evidence of the small puffing iron found in Jaxon's store, and which is a companion to the bloody puffing iron found close to the body of the deceased, the strongest objections were raised by the defense. But they went in.

Oscar S. Kunzman, a Pasadena attorney, who acted as a kind of deputy to Constable Austin of Pasadena, in following the case after the body was found, went upon the witness stand and told of a curious conversation that he had with the defendant. He said that Jaxon came to him to engage him to defend him, but he refused unless Jaxon would undertake to retain also a lawyer whose specialty was the criminal end of the law. In the conversation that ensued Jaxon maintained his innocence, and said that a white woman on East Colorado street had paid the officers to keep the facts suppressed; and that there had been telephoning back and forth to Los Angeles. He said, too, that up to that time he was out of pocket $2200 by the fastening of the crime on him.

The buttons found on the links were offered in evidence and were identified by J. L. Eicholz, who told how he and Marshal Reid of South Pasadena had searched a number of boxes of buttons—both new and old—in Jaxon's store, and had been rewarded by finding the companions to those they had found at the seat of the murder.

So far this testimony appeared pretty strong against Jaxon, but when the witness went on to say that in searching Los Angeles he had discovered a tailor's finding house where buttons of the same kind were in stock, the weight of the buttons as testimony was considerably reduced. But it is not by any one bit of overwhelming testimony that the prosecution hopes to convict Jaxon, but by a long series of circumstances of comparatively little weight each taken alone, but which when viewed en masse are counted on to make a strong showing against the defendant.

TEDIOUS SUIT ENDED.

COMPLICATIONS OVER BISBEE IN

The builders, sub-contractors and material men engaged on work in connection with the erection of the Bisbee Inn, the noted resort at Third and Main streets, got into a sad tangle. There wasn't enough money to go around, and finally eight suits were filed in court each of which was snarled and tangled by reason of conflicting claims for mechanic's liens against the building.

Some months ago these suits were consolidated for trial, and occupied the attention of Judge York for eight weeks. Yesterday he rendered his decision. He holds that all the mechanics' liens are invalid except those of Howe Brothers and the Consolidated Lumber Company. He finds there is due from the defendant Higgins to Alpeter, Hall and Alpeter, as a balance for construction of the building, $15,993; and the following parties are entitled to judgments against Alpeter, Hall and Alpeter in the following amounts: Llewellyn Iron Works, $2512; E. H. Missall, $975.35; University Planing Mill, $2166.20; Acme Door and Glass Company, $2622.30; F. O. Wyman, et al., $345.46; Nofziger Brothers Lumber Company, $2920.35; Hoffman Company, $1129.97; and the Los Angeles Pressed Brick Company, $360.57.

Judge York also holds that the Consolidated Lumber Company is entitled to a lien with $100 as attorney's fee; and G. E. Howe also is entitled to a lien with $400 as attorney's fee. Alpeter, Hall and Alpeter are entitled to judgment without foreclosure of lien against Higgins.

It is also held that the claims of Howe and the Consolidated Lumber Company should be paid out of the money paid into court, and the amount remaining as found due to Alpeter, Hall and Alpeter, should be divided pro rata among the other claimants as above.

ELECTION CONTEST.

SECOND WARD CHALLENGE.

A. S. Van Degrift, candidate for Councilman from the Second Ward on the Non-Partisan ticket, at the late city election, yesterday began suit against E. A. Clampitt, disputing his election and demanding a recount of the thirteen precincts in the ward.

Clampitt was the candidate on the regular Republican ticket. It is alleged that a number of votes were counted to Clampitt that ought to have been counted to the plaintiff, and also that a number of votes were tallied to the credit of the Democratic and Socialistic candidates by the election officers that properly belonged to Van Degrift.

The court is asked to have the ballots cast in the Second Ward brought in and a recount made of votes cast for Councilman.

APPOINTS RECEIVER.

HOME COMPANY'S TROUBLES.

In the suit begun by Atty.-Gen. Webb against the Chicago Home Company of this city, brought at the instance of the Building and Loan Commissioners, a receiver was yesterday appointed by Judge Conrey, by stipulation. R. D. Lamson, who is one of the directors of the company, was named and appointed as receiver, his bond being placed at $75,000.

Practically the company is bankrupt. Its affairs are to be wound up by the receiver. There has been no money coming in with which to keep the game of furnishing homes going, and so of necessity, the company has come to a full stop. It is claimed that the stockholders will receive dollar for dollar. It was stated yesterday that there are assets amounting to $32,000, while the liabilities amount to only $26,000.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

BACK TO WHITTIER. The four youths arrested for burglarizing the Southern Pacific depot at Acton on Christmas Day, have been identified as paroled boys from the Whittier School. One, Carl Jackson, claimed to have deserted from the U. S. Pensacola, and as he was clothed in a jackies' uniform, some color was given to his statement. Superintendent J. P. Greeley came from Whittier yesterday, however, and stated that it is unlikely that there is any truth in the claim. The boys will all be returned to the school.

COMFORTABLE ESTATE. John Lopisich applied yesterday for letters in the estate of the late Peter Marinkovich, who died in this city on November 22, without leaving any will. The deceased owned a half interest in a restaurant on North Main street, placed at nominal value, but held some valuable real estate. The total value of the estate is placed at $17,850. The widow and three daughters will share in the property.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

SLICING HOUSE NOT A CRIME.

OSBORNE FAMILY IS ACQUITTED OF QUEER CHARGE.

Mix-up in Mortgage Resulted in Eighteen Inches Being Sawed Off Building—Sanchez Family Held for Trial in Higher Court—West Gets Suspended Sentence.

Oliver Osborne, his wife and their boy Tom were declared innocent of malicious mischief in Justice Austin's court yesterday, and thus ended the famous "house slicing case."

The Osbornes had cut off about eighteen inches from the house wherein they had lived, September 23. The place was No. 1019 West Forty-fourth street. They had sawed it down nicely and evenly from roof to lower floor. Their defense was a sort of a hair-splitting point.

They had lived in the house and had mortgaged it. When it came to foreclosure of the mortgage by the loan company who held it, there was some bitterness, the Osbornes claiming that they weren't fairly treated. Back of the house was a vacant lot which the family had owned and apparently sold.

But as to this sale there was some dispute. The Osbornes still retained some title in this rear lot—or equity—or, at any rate, said they did. They approached the mortgagees and told them that the house abutted on this rear lot, and that they owned the lot. Then came the sawing-off of the abutting portion; then the arrest.

On the strength of the testimony as to alleged ownership of the lot and the legal argument based upon it came the discharge. The Osbornes departed elated.

Sanchez Quartette Held.

Belts of silk adorned the long desk in Justice Rose's court yesterday afternoon while the members of the notorious Sanchez family sat in stolid silence in the prisoners' dock. Ever and anon during the examination of the witnesses their attorney said: "I object," and then, "An exception." When the witnesses had told their story and the lawyer had voiced his last protest, he asked for dismissal; then sat down while Justice Rose bound over Pedro and Mrs. Sanchez, Merced and Diega, each being held under $1500 bonds. The quartette of clever shoplifters went back to jail in default of this amount.

West Is Sentenced.

E. A. West, whose trial on a charge of non-support took place before Justice Chambers Wednesday, was given a suspended sentence of $60 or sixty days yesterday. West had failed to support his wife and little boy. He claimed he had been ill. They were separated from him. He promised to look after their wants, and if he fails sentence will be enforced.

Mother Clears Them.

L. M. Heimer and Mrs. Heimer of the Star Messenger Company went free when a jury passed on their status regarding the child-labor law in the Police Court yesterday. Louis Stambook, the 13-year-old boy whom they had employed out of school hours to run messages, and his mother were, in the main, the cause of the decision. The mother said that the boy was better behaved since he had begun this work, and steadier than when he had used his time at will after school. The jury returned a verdict of acquittal.

Wong Kay Waxes Wroth.

Wong Kay will be tried for battery this afternoon—which is somewhat out of the ordinary, for the Chinese is usually a peaceable individual. He was arrested yesterday on a warrant. According to the complaint, Wong Kay assaulted a small boy. According to the other side of the story, the small boy in question had stolen Wong Kay's whip from the latter's truck wagon. The ins and outs of the affair will be developed during the trial. The alleged battery took place on Maple avenue, between Seventh and Eighth streets. The Chinese was released on $10 bail.

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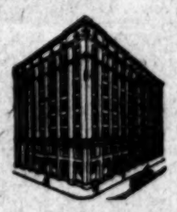

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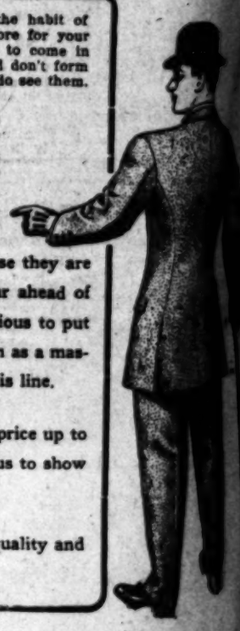

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Ben Brooks, a broken-down actor of this city, went on a wild spree in a French café last night. The café is a place much frequented by newspaper artists. The chance for free publicity drew J. Mary Ann Brooks, and flame attracts the moth.

Brooks arrived in the place under the influence of liquor, and guzzled red wine during the entire dinner hour. At the conclusion he staggered drunkenly to his feet, yanked his hat off his head, and yowled: "Here, boys, is where I begin now."

Forthwith he began to sing "My Old Kentucky Home" in a squeaky, unmelodious voice. Every one else in the café kept a dead, disgusted silence. When he got to the end of the song he broke out in a torrent of obscenity. The café in which he sang is not in any sense "Bohemian" in the way that word is usually understood. Many of its customers are respectable women, who were compelled to listen to his obscene gutter song.

Brooks finally tried to get out without paying his check. At the door he was stopped by the manager. A dainty little French girl who was one of the guests at the dinner, which was a family affair, looked at her and spoke to her in a manner brutality, finally, however, slipping a dollar into her hand. Brooks came back with his change

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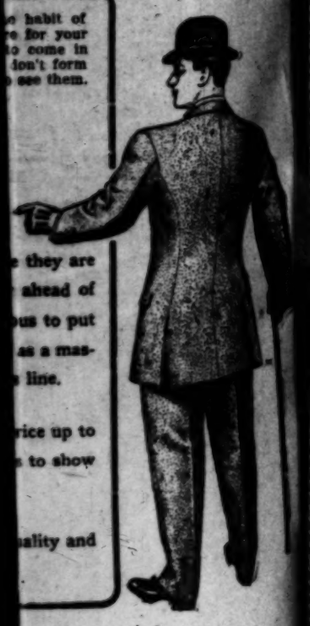

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...s of Grindell Party Recall Horror.

... of Attempt to Reach Tiburon Island.

... Found Tied to Cross, Body Missing.

...se of missing members of the ... party, which in June, 1904, ... from Douglas, Ariz., to explore ... Island in the Gulf of California ... been revealed by the discovery ... skeletons in a Sonora desert. ... of the skeletons were found ... addressed to the leader of the ... Prof. E. P. Grindell. It is apparent death came to the three ... thirst, a different but scarcely ... fate than that which overtook ... exploring party which left ... six months earlier, with ... object in view.

... survivor of the Grindell ... Jake Hoffman, has not ... of since the return of the ... party. This party was or... by Lieut. Thomas F. Grindell ... to learn his brother's fate. ... was unsuccessful, though ... guided the searchers to the ... made by the party of which ... had escaped from the desert. ... discovery just made, the fate ... Grindell and his two companions ... known with certainty. ... originally consisted of ... Grindell, G. Olan Rallis, both men ... attainments, and two men ... employ. Friends of the scien... raised a fund to outfit the expedition, which was said to be chiefly ... purposes. The explorers ... at low tide, when the ... shallow on the mainland side ... of California.

... at a point on the coast ... opposite the north end of ... Island, the explorers made a ... which decided them to ... their purpose of crossing to ... at least until they could ... larger force. They had come ... camp, manifestly a white ... on the shore. Planted in ... was a rude cross formed of ...

GHASTLY TROPHIES.

... arms of the cross, tied with ... from a kodak which lay ... were two withered human ... white man's hands. In such ... was revealed to them ... of the Los Angeles party ... preceded them in an effort ... Tiburon Island six months ...

... inland, accomplishing a ... from the coast, through a ... waste. They had looked to ... in every mile of the dreary ... length a dry camp was made, ... thirst-mad men set out in a ... search for water. Grindell and ... never returned to the camp. ... John Hoffman, remembering ... days could not be more than ... they went down the coast, ... making his way to the ... south toward Guaymas, ... than a day's journey of ... coast Mexican city his ... failed and he fell. An Indian ... still alive, and got him into ...

... returned over the terrible ... Lieut. Grindell and his ... Indians. The supposed last ... Olinder and Miller was first ... The rude cross stood there, ... it were fragments of books ... paraphernalia from the boat ... Olinder and Miller left Yuma. ... had been taken away by ... Grindell.

... was followed from there to ... the last camp of Grindell's ... had been made, and a search of ... surrounding country was made ... no result. For more than two ... bones of Rallis and Grindell ... discovered in the desert.

CAPITAL INTERESTED.

... W. Knox, a Los Angeles attorney, a member of the syndicate ... financed the expedition of Olinder and Miller in 1904, was in correspondence with Prof. Grindell before ... of the latter's party. He ... to try to find traces of the ... to Tiburon by his syndicate. ... did not live to make a ... of his discovery, but an account ... to Mr. Knox by Lieut. Grindell ... the statements made by Jake ...

... plan for exploring Tiburon ... was formed by Henry E. Miller, ... of the Los Angeles State ... School and principal of a ... in Yuma. In Yuma he had ... with men who told tales of vast ... wealth on Tiburon Island, ... which blend, the mother ore ... which radium is derived. In connection with Capt. Gus Olinder, master-mariner sailing ships, the matter was brought before a number of ... mining men. A syndicate ... and Miller and Olinder ... the expedition from which ... returned.

... Islands are said to be inhabited by cannibals, the one tribe of ... north of the south line of ... that has never been in close ... with white men. They are now ... what they must have been ... years ago. They have no ... fight with poisoned spears ... Guarded by this wild ... treasures of Tiburon remain ...

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Staring at her with bleared eyes for a minute, the lawyer finally struck her a violent blow with his open hand, causing her to drop the change. Then he rushed downstairs before any of the men present could interfere.

It is not improbable that a criminal complaint will be sworn out against Brooks today.

NEW YEAR JOYS FOR NEW BOYS.

FIVE WILL TURN NEW LEAVES IN NEW HOMES.

Youngsters Who Have Been Held in Detention Home Find Good People to Care for Them Through Story in "The Times"—Girls Also Now Have Friends.

The midnight bells that greet 1907 will ring in a Happy New Year for five small boys. A short time ago they were behind the bars of the Detention Home, waiting for some kind people to offer them real homes. They were not criminals, but they had to stay somewhere and there was no place in all the world for them but a semi-prison.

The Times heard about them and sent over to take their pictures, for there were the five boys needing homes and there were so many homes in Los Angeles needing boys.

The public has a great big mellow heart, and as soon as the public read the story and saw the picture, people began to come to the Detention Home asking for boys, and now every one of the five is free and content in a brand new home, and not only that, but two girls have been given places and two more boys arranged for, and there are eleven homes open when the need arises again.

The little "chocolate drop," named "Jimmie," was exceedingly popular. Six people wanted to put him in their pockets and cary him off immediately, but Judge Wilbur won and Jimmie was placed in the care of some good people by the Judge's order until he comes back from a trip, when the little pickinniny, who is clever and bright, will have a home with Judge Wilbur and his family for good.

Bennie Ingalls, who loves fishes, and told The Times please to get him a home where he could see them, was popular, and had a number of offers, for it is plain that Benny has a future before him. A prominent physician and his wife from Long Beach asked for Benny, but have waited for a while to see if they could get papers of adoption in a few months, so that no one could take him away. The matter will be settled in time for Benny to spend New Year's day in his new home.

On Christmas morning George Bonnettio came to call on the boys at the Detention Home. George had the happiest look of any little darky in the land. He was dressed in a nice new suit and brought oranges and apples to the other children. He was careful to explain to Mrs. Pratt, whom they all love so much, that the clothes were not his Christmas present, for he had other gifts from the kind people who had taken him.

"I wouldn't trade my home for any other one," said George, and all the children were glad, for he is a good boy and waited a whole year, lacking one day, for some one to take him out of the Detention Home, where he was placed by the Humane Society because his own home was so terible. George walked in from Thirty-sixth street on Christmas morning so he could spend the car fare that had been given him on apples for the other boys.

Joe Zilkie at Vernon says he has the best home of all. "They are so kind to me," says Joe. His Christmas present was a toy automobile, but he loves the live things out where he is living now, and is learnin~ to milk a cow. Frank Carter from Arizona, who wanted to go to the country, has gotten a good home on a farm. All of the boys will be looked after every once in a while by the Humane Society to see if they are happy and doing well.

John Ramiriz, another lad at the Detention Home, has been offered a place at Hobart Station, and some people of Whittier have offered to take a young girl of fifteen whose step-mother turned her adrift and told her to find a place for herself. A 15-year-old colored girl also has a home because The Times told the public about the need at the Detention Home, and some people at Highlands are waiting for a boy as soon as he can be sent.

BOY WHIRLED TO DEATH.

Young Graves Caught in Machinery Belt and Horribly Killed—Unable to Stop Engine.

Frank Graves, a boy helper for the Southern California Hardwood and Manufacturing Company, was horribly killed in their plant at Ninth and Kohler streets yesterday. The boy's clothing caught in a belt and he was whirled around a pulley near the top of the room; then hurled to the floor, naked and mangled.

Graves's duty was to take away moldings as they were turned out by the machines. He also had to oil overhead pulleys on a platform fifteen feet above the floor. He was doing this when his overalls were caught in the belt.

Quickly this carried him to the pulley. In a moment the boy was being whirled around and around, and the thud, thud of his body striking against the shafting was heard by other employés. These tried to stop the machinery. They could not do it.

All the time the body was pounding against the steel shaft. The clothes began to fall in shreds on the floor and blood dripped slowly. When the machinery had done its work and seemingly tired of the task it threw the stark body to the floor. The skull was crushed and several other bones broken.

Graves lived with his parents at Tenth and Mateo streets. He had four brothers. He died in the Receiving Hospital before an operation could be performed.

CARRIES AWAY JEWELRY.

Sanchez Charged With Having Made a Social Call Upon a Woman and Robbing Her.

F. Sanchez, according to the police, is an all-round bad citizen. One charge of petty larceny is now standing against him and detectives say that others will be brought.

Detective Talamantes arrested the man, whom he accuses of stealing some jewelry and clothing from the home of Mrs. Mendoza. He had been calling there Christmas eve and when he departed he is said to have taken the plunder with him.

Sanchez was under police surveillance when he made his little call. He had been watched, according to the police, ever since he came here from Tucson. He is a nice-appearing young man and wears good clothes, but his record is said to be bad and the officers state that they expect to bring further charges against him.

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Big Companies Grow Wary of Large Fire Risks.

Many of Them to Quit State at End of Year.

Harder Now to Get Policies That Are Wanted.

Fire insurance on buildings in the congested business portions of Los Angeles and all other large cities on the Pacific Coast will be somewhat harder to get after the first of the coming year, according to John McCallen, an insurance broker of San Francisco, who is here on a visit. He considers the situation serious for owners of extensive interests—but perhaps his views are to be taken with a few grains of salt.

"Most of the first class companies," said Mr. McCallen, "are cutting down their liabilities in crowded business sections of the different large cities of the Coast, and Los Angeles will be affected equally with the rest. The difficulty is apparent already in San Francisco. It is almost impossible, for property owners and merchants on Van Ness avenue and other business streets to obtain any insurance.

REVOLUTION IN METHODS.

"The San Francisco fire has revolutionized the fire insurance business of the world, and it is probable that many changes in methods will be made within the next year. Some big companies that were hard hit by the San Francisco losses have withdrawn entirely from the State, and others will follow. Rates on business property in that city, which were from 1 per cent. up before the fire, are now 3 and 10 per cent.—an exceedingly high rate by comparison. As is pretty generally known, there was a rise of 25 per cent. in rates on the Pacific Coast immediately after the big fire.

"Undoubtedly a great mass of insurance legislation will be introduced at Sacramento at the coming session of the Legislature. Some of it will be good, some of it bad. An attempt will be made to secure the enactment of a depository law similar to that in effect in Oregon, whereby insurance companies are required to make a deposit of appreciable size as a guarantee of their good faith.

"It is likely, too, that an attempt will be made to adopt what is known as the New York standard form of policy, which requires that clauses that are vague in their meaning shall be printed in red ink or in large type, so that the insured man fully understands the contract he receives.

GOOD LAWS WELCOME.

"Good companies naturally will welcome good laws, but if the rules are made too stringent, the people will be the principal sufferers, for the companies will withdraw from the State, rather than try to continue business under burdensome restrictions.

"Insurance men generally favor the appointment of a State insurance commissioner who is a thoroughly-posted insurance man; one who will be careful to look into the condition of companies before a big conflagration comes along and sweeps many of them out of existence, rather than to take up the investigation after such a disaster.

"The insurance companies have poured a golden stream of wealth into San Francisco since last April. Claims amounting to about $200,000,000 have been paid, and $20,000,000 is still to come. The estimated loss by the disaster was $400,000,000, only about one-half of which was covered by insurance.

"Money is very plentiful in San Francisco, and the demand for insurance is brisk. But the authorities have made a serious mistake in permitting the erection of shacks in the business district, for it will be many years before these wooden buildings are removed, and their presence will tend to keep insurance rates at a high point because of the added danger from fire.

MORE LUCKY HERE.

"Los Angeles will be more fortunate than San Francisco in the matter of insurance rates, and the coming of the Owens River water will be another blessing, affording an abundant supply for protection against fire. Had San Francisco's water system been anything like what your system will be after the arrival of the Owens River supply, the devastation by fire never would have been so great. Even now it looks as if it would be a long time before San Francisco obtains an adequate water system.

"But then Los Angeles is more fortunate all around than San Francisco, although it may be heresy for me to admit it. In ten years I believe this city will lead all others on the Coast in population. Your street car systems are wonders, and it is a revelation to one from San Francisco to find street railway employés so courteous as those in Los Angeles."

BALL AT HOLLYWOOD.

A ball was given last evening at Hotel Hollywood by Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. George and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lippincott of the foothill city. The dining hall was used for dancing and was hung above with great ropes of asparagus vine and dark red Christmas bells. The programmes were in red and green with the monogram G. L. E. embossed in red on the cover. The Catalina band played for sixteen numbers and two extras.

Assisting during the evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. Stith, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pauley, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Compton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Seward Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Paul de Longpre, Miss de Longpre, C. E. Brydges, Miss Brydges, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Avery, Rev. and Mrs. Agnus Porter, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Riley, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. William Mead, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Rishel, Dr. and Mrs. E. O Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beville Mrs. Elliott's gown was of yellow silk and real lace, made princess with pearls as jewels. Mrs. George wore a princess costume of soft white silk trimmed with point lace. Her gems were diamonds. Mrs. Lippincott was attired in a white and gold spangled toilette with under slip of white satin. She wore diamonds. There were about four hundred guests present, over one hundred of them from Los Angeles.

PERSONAL.

W. J. Arkell of Manhattan, Nev., one-time owner of "Puck," is at the Hotel Alexandria.

Ben Murray, W. J. Jackson and Tom Kennedy of Goldfield are at the Hotel Westminster.

J. F. Bonneau of Tonopah, A. S. Reynolds and wife and John W. Reynolds of Goldfield and Rufus C. Thayer and wife of Goldfield are at the same hostelry.

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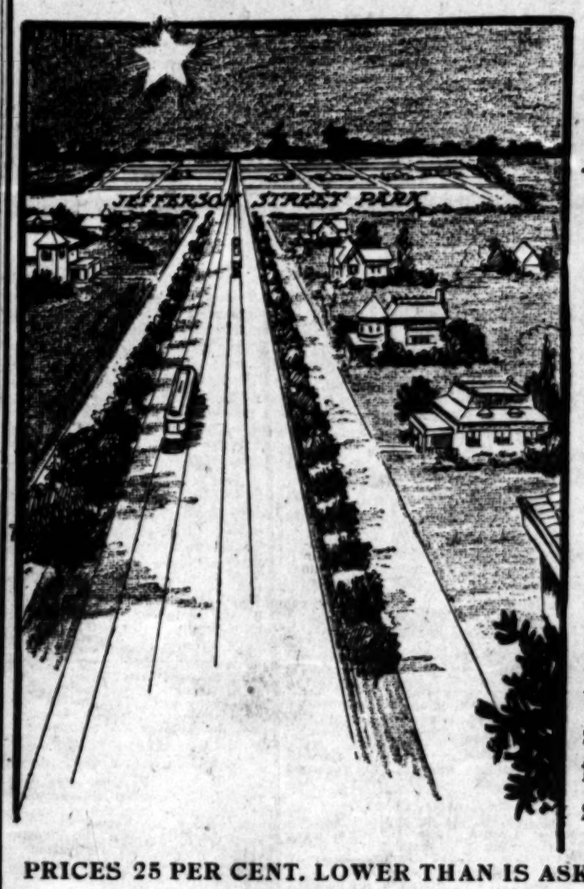

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At the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles. The annual meeting of stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles, will be held at the bank building, on the southwest corner of Main and Fourth streets in the city of Los Angeles, Cal., on Tuesday, January 8, 1907, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year and for transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

CHAS. SEYLER, Cashier.
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It is unnecessary to say that this is an exceptional opportunity for advertisers desiring to reach the eyes of the thousands of people east of the mountains, who are hungry for information about Southern California. No advertisements for the Midwinter Number can be received after December 27.

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THE TIMES-MIRROR CO.

Jupiter Pluvius is also to be admired for the knack he has of fattening up the cattle on the ranges.

As we now understand the matter, the railroads have surpluses in their treasuries, but none in their yards.

It may yet come to a question of either crowding the tracks and killing a lot of people or of moving the crops.

There are 115,000 miles of new trackage projected in this country, but where are the rails to come from?

The Mayor-elect can't appoint everybody to an office, but it is to be hoped that he will avoid appointing nobodies.

Maybe Chicago can't help it, but it is wonderful how she continues to furnish headquarters for cranks and anarchists.

Anyway, Gov. Pardee has not tried to hog the whole thing. He has not yet appointed a private secretary for Mr. Gillett.

Transportation is congested to an extent that gives the country the blues. Now's the time the Panama Canal would come in handy.

Don't find fault with Jupiter Pluvius. He is simply getting the roads in shape so that everybody can travel in comfort to Pasadena on New Year's Day.

If the Japanese are being lied about they have the satisfaction of knowing that there will soon be enough of them here to make their denials heard.

Although $500 a week is good money, nobody, not even Lindsey Hicks himself, would care to earn it in the way it was earned in that living tomb at Bakersfield.

The Owens River project will help out thousands of grafters, but they will be grafters who graft trees and make two blades of grass grow where only one grew before.

The situation appears to be that the railroads are short of cars and locomotives, and that even if they had them the tracks are too crowded to run any more trains, anyway.

The old geographies used to say it rained steadily throughout the entire six months of the rainy season in California. It may be necessary for the new geographies to say the same if this thing keeps up.

Christmas was celebrated with murder, bloodshed and other sorts of deviltment in seven different European countries and five of the States of the American Union. "Peace on earth, toward men of good will."

While the British government is engaged on the Irish Home Rule scheme, steps might also be taken to grant the same privilege to the other constituent parts of the empire. They are all demanding it in a loud tone of voice.

Jim Hill says there isn't enough money in the world to build all the railroads that this country needs at the present time. Well, this country managed to get along and be happy when there were no railroads in it, at all.

OWENS RIVER FINANCES.

In advising that the cement conduit of the Owens River aqueduct be left uncovered for the first five years and that the construction of a regulating reservoir in Long Valley, fifty miles above the river intake be postponed until it is needed, the consulting engineers of the Owens River project were governed by sound business considerations.

It is of paramount importance that water be brought to Los Angeles as soon as possible, and it is obvious that only such works as are required to accomplish that result need be built at first. The less work undertaken the quicker can it be put through and the sooner will the city begin to derive revenue from the sale of water and power. Later work can be paid for out of the revenue of the water department.

While it is advisable that the conduit be covered eventually, in order that the capacity may be increased, loss by evaporation checked and the growth of vegetation in the conduit prevented, it is not necessary that it be covered at once throughout its length. That is the judgment of the best hydraulic engineers in America, which probably is superior to the judgment of persons whose ignorance of the subject is exceeded only by their volubility in giving advice and finding fault.

The cost of putting a roof on the open sections of the aqueduct at some time in the future will not exceed $2,000,000, and the water revenues will readily provide that sum in five years, in addition to paying interest on bonds and providing a sinking fund for redemption. Clearly it would be unwise to include in a bond issue and pay interest on any part of the cost of construction that can be taken care of out of the revenues.

The engineers have given sound and sufficient reason for postponing the building of a reservoir in Long Valley. They have pointed out that regulation of the flow of the river by a reservoir in Long Valley will be required only when the demand of Los Angeles for water has reached the maximum capacity of the aqueduct. The aqueduct is designed to deliver an average flow of 400 second-feet, or 20,000 inches, after liberal allowance for losses by seepage and evaporation, and it will be many years before the demand equals that supply. The area exposed to evaporation in the canals is less than 10 per cent. of the area exposed in reservoirs, and the allowance of 500 inches loss, which is provided for in the designed capacity of the conduit, is ample. Losses by evaporation and seepage from the Riverside open canal were only 1 per cent. instead of "more than one-third" as asserted by a foolish critic of the Owens River project report. Covering of the conduit will stop evaporation and increase its efficient average capacity by at least 500 inches.

Engineers of the Reclamation Service estimated the cost of a masonry dam, built of granite, at the Long Valley site at $750,000. Other and more accessible material for a dam has been found, and probably the cost of construction could be reduced. At all events, the estimate of $750,000 is ample, and long before the dam will be required the surplus revenues of the water department will be more than sufficient to pay for betterments.

Whether the installation of power plants should be delayed until after completion of the aqueduct is a question to be considered by the boards having charge of the business end of the Owens River project. A very large revenue may be derived from the 80,000 horse-power developed at the lower end of the aqueduct. It is conservatively estimated that the power will be worth to the city at least $2,000,000 a year, which will provide for interest and sinking fund on the bond issues of $25,000,000 and leave about half a million a year to be used otherwise.

It would seem, therefore, to be good business judgment to install power plants and have them ready to operate as soon as the water reaches them. It would cost less than $3,000,000 to install the plants and distributing system, with necessary substations, and the investment would become immediately productive and profitable to the city.

All engineering questions connected with the Owens River project have been settled by the report of the consulting engineers, and the professional judgment of the aqueduct engineers has been confirmed by indisputable authority. Mr. Mulholland's proposed solution of the water problem is indorsed in the highest terms as "admirable in conception and outline," and in view of that indorsement from the most eminent men in his profession, the chief engineer of the Los Angeles aqueduct need give no heed to the foolish "criticisms" of "Mr. Peewees" and knockers.

The water of Owens River can be brought to Los Angeles for less than $25,000,000, as Mr. Mulholland said at the outset, and that is the all-important thing. No greater burden of bonded debt or taxation than is involved in the issue of about $23,000,000 additional bonds will have to be assumed by the people of Los Angeles, and even that burden will have to be carried only during the period of construction, for the aqueduct will pay for itself and for all future improvements to the system.

THE RESTLESS ROOSEVELT.

Doubtless a great deal of criticism, friendly and otherwise, to which the President has been lately subjected, is due to the fact that he has made himself a factor in matters which did not actually concern him as the official head of the nation. But his popularity has not suffered on this account. He is still the most popular man in the country today, as he has been for several years past.

Perhaps the President is not always right in the stands he takes on questions that arise for his official consideration, or for his unofficial consideration as an American citizen. He is not infallible. If he were he would be more than human. But his average is truly wonderful, and the reason of it is that he is both a good thinker and an honest man.

In the old days of the prize ring there was a fistic hero known as "Yankee" Sullivan who was in the habit, during his encounters in the roped arena, of also walloping sundry of the spectators who made a practice of interfering with the game. The President's business is to keep the nation prosperous, healthy and at peace with the world. In his efforts to do this he is occasionally annoyed by somebody in the crowd who endeavors to put a stop to the way things are going. The President never hesitates on these occasions to jump over the ropes, between the rounds, to hand out a wallop or two, and usually with good effect.

But, as a result of this manner of doing things, Mr. Roosevelt is now and then severely criticised. He is called a dictator, and the charge is made that he desires to centralize the government and destroy the rights of the States. Nothing could be farther from the truth. Theodore Roosevelt is, above all things, an American. When he thinks he is right he will work twenty-four hours a day for a week at a stretch to have his convictions put into force; that's all.

The country need not always agree with the President. It need not always adopt his views. It doesn't ever have to do so against its will. The Constitution and the statutes are bigger than any President ever was or can be, and nobody is better aware of this than the man who occupies the White House at the present time. Theodore Roosevelt is a strong man and a bit restless in his energies. And the country loves him, and thanks God for having him.

THE HOWTON PROGRAMME.

The retiring Council placed another blot on its already mottled record yesterday by creating the position of superintendent of the Detention Hospital at a salary of $250 a month. At the City Hall it is an open secret that this place is made not for the protection of the health of the community but as a sinecure for "Doc" Howton in return for valuable services rendered to certain interests while a member of the City Council.

Apparently there is a disposition to establish a rule that each retiring Council shall care for its own. Kern has resigned to become Chief of Police. He had won the favor of the Police Commission by voting to give the department the largest budget appropriation in its history. Summerland and Hammon have been advanced along the political highway as far as Sacramento. Hiller has the support of the entire Council for a place as purchasing agent for the Aqueduct Commission, and last and worst of all Howton is slated for a sinecure. Only Ford remains unpensioned.

But Howton has not yet secured his plum; the Council can create the office, but the Health Board names the man, and the board declined point blank yesterday to accept the Council's programme.

Howton's record is not one likely to prejudice a commission of sane business men in his favor. The kindest criticism is that he is a crank and a misfit. He has given no evidence of ability to conduct a hospital. The pest house is the place for him—but as an inmate, not superintendent.

At the present time there is but a single patient in the pest house in Chavez ravine, and $250 a month is a pretty stiff price to pay for medical attendance in addition to the other bills. The attitude of the health commissioners indicates clearly that there is no call for such an officer. If aught is needed it is a second assistant to the health officer. A capable assistant could be secured for $100 less than the salary named in the new ordinance; it would require less than one-tenth of his time on an average to look after the inmates of the Detention Hospital.

SPOILS SYSTEM GOING.

Really it is about time to gather up the remnants of what once constituted the principles of the old Democratic party. Many modern-day Democrats in all parts of the Union have made in their own minds more of an idol of the President than many of the members of his own party. One would easily have thought that the President's recent attack upon the States' rights doctrine would have shaken the allegiance of Democrats to Roosevelt and that this would have been particularly true in the Southern States. It is amazing how little effect the President's declaration and Root's speech have had in undermining Roosevelt's great popularity with these more intelligent elements of the Democratic party.

Andrew Jackson, the founder and titular saint of Democracy, is the reputed author of the famous declaration, "To the victor belong the spoils." From Jackson's time until a very recent date the inauguration of every President into office was the signal for a wholesale house-cleaning of all appointive offices in the United States. What a scramble this event made for the postoffices from one end of the country to the other! In respect to this and all administrative offices held by Presidential appointment there has been a great change. The spoils idea has given place to public service. These offices are for the people; and the man who can administer them efficiently and will administer them carefully is the man the people want in the office. Continual changes have always been to the detriment of the public service.

It is illuminating to read that since Theodore Roosevelt went into office out of 1969 postmasters, 1474 whose term of office had expired were reappointed. In almost every case where good service on the part of the postmaster had been shown he was reappointed. These constituted 75 per cent. of the total number of terms expired. Five hundred postmasters who were shown to have been inattentive or inefficient were retired.

AS TO RACE SUICIDE.

In an article recently published in the Nineteenth Century an interesting table of birth rates in three of the leading countries of Europe is given. Going back a generation, to 1875, the birth rate then was 35 per thousand of the inhabitants as an average. The death rate since then has been reduced to 15 in the thousand. At the date taken, the net increase in population was 13 per thousand. If the birth rate of that date had been maintained, with the death rate decreasing as it has, the net gain in population now would be 20 in the thousand instead of 13.

In Russia in 1879 the births were 50 to the thousand. Twenty years later they were 49 to the thousand, showing a loss of one birth in the thousand. The net increase in population in Russia at the first date was 15.2 and at the second date 18. The increase of population for each thousand born was in the first instance 304 and in the second 367.

In Prussia in 1875 the birth rate per thousand is given as 40.7 and in 1903 at 34.5. The net increase in population is given at the first date as 14.1 and at the second date as 14.7. The increase of population for each thousand births is at the first date 346 and at the second 426.

Coming to England and taking the same years as those for Prussia, the average birth rate was 35.4 for 1875 and at the second date 28.4. The increase of population at those dates respectively was 12.7 and 13. The increase of population for each thousand births was 359 and 458.

As might be expected, in Russia, composed mostly of rural people where life is very simply lived, we find the highest birth rate of the three countries and also the highest birth rate of all Europe. Russia has also the largest rate of increase of population. Now the birth rate in Prussia in a little less than twenty years, it seems, decreased from 40.7 to 34.5, yet the addition in population was .6 per thousand greater at the later date than at the earlier one, when the birth rate was 6.2 per thousand higher. In England the birth rate fell during the same period 7 per thousand, but the addition to the population increased by .3 per thousand.

The Nineteenth Century writer suggests that this greater redundancy of population in Russia has led to many of the troubles existing in the empire and that the unhealthy social state created thereby has tended to hasten governmental reform. The suggestion is rather far-fetched, it appears. Russia is a country of immense territorial extent; the resources of the empire are just beginning to be developed, and there is room under proper governmental conditions for an almost limitless expansion of population. Under a righteous system of government, three times the population now existing in Russia could be maintained on a much higher plane of living than prevails now.

The really interesting point in this exhibit is that while the birth rate is generally decreasing, the average length of life is increasing, producing a net increase in population.

No publication in the world begins to give so much reliable information for the price as the Midwinter Number of The Times, to be published on January 1. Buy a number of copies and send one to each of your friends in the less favored regions east of the mountains.

THE CURSE OF GOLDFIELD.

SCIENCE NOTES.

A New Consumption Theory.

Dr. W. P. Turner, a London physician of high standing, who has made a first-hand study of tuberculosis for many years, has recently published his conclusions, the main feature of which is that the disease is an animal disease, primarily derived in all cases from cattle. According to the review of this work in Current Literature, he holds that the original source of infection is a plant, cattle deriving it from timothy or other allied grasses from affinity, and that man acquires the disease from infection or inoculation, never by inhalation; also, that it is not hereditary or subject to predisposition. The bacillus is a saprophyte, feeding on vegetable decay, but it becomes pathogenic or disease breeding when the cattle in which it occurs are deprived of the sunlight, which contains a property known as actinism. The group of diseases thus transmitted by cattle or flesh food he calls mycotic. The grasses are the primary host, cattle are the intermediary host, and man rounds out the life cycle. So consumption can be regarded only as a parasitic disease. According to this theory, inhalation has nothing to do with the spreading of consumption, and the theory that infection is conveyed by the sputum is abandoned, while the idea of contamination through kissing would prove nonsensical.

Taking Plant Temperature.

Uncle Sam's scientists at Washington as carefully and tenderly look after their plants and vegetables as does any well-trained nurse the patient committed to her care.

In this connection may be recited some interesting and curious experiments made at the capital. It is ascertained that when plants are wounded their respiration increases, and that at the same time their temperature perceptibly rises, as if a kind of fever had been produced by the wound.

In recent experiments a thermo electric apparatus, capable of registering a change of one-four-hundredth of a degree, was employed. When a potato was wounded, the fever manifested itself by an elevation of temperature which was greatest at the end of twenty-four hours, when it began slowly to decline.

An onion similarly treated acquired an increase of temperature many times greater than that shown by the potato, and the fever, instead of being confined to the neighborhood of the wound, affected the entire onion. In fact, the onion proved to be more readily affected in this way than any other vegetable experimented with. The rise of temperature is caused by increased absorption of oxygen.

Chemistry's Counterfeiting Power.

Chemistry has counterfeited the odor of new mown hay, but not that peculiar scent that caused the farmer to observe: "New mown hay always smells of hard work."

On the shelves of the Patent Office at Washington may be seen hundreds of bottles containing odors that no one could distinguish from the perfumes of various flowers. Yet not one of these odors was distilled from a blossom. Each was compounded in a chemist's laboratory.

According to a Patent Office official, attar of roses has not yet been produced artificially, but it is in sight. The chemists are wrestling with the problem. The oil that gives to the rose its fragrance is called "rhodonol." It is found in the lemon grass, and also in some of the geraniums. Efforts are being made to extract the oil from these plants, only a slight modification being required to transform it into the attar.

The production of artificial musk from coal tar is likely to drive the real article from the market. Though not the same thing as musk, chemically speaking, its scent is indistinguishable from it. Musk is obtained from a gland of the musk that roams the forests of Central Asia.

Ethereal oils give to fruits their delicious flavors. There are hundreds of these oils, and every one of them can be counterfeited, as they are chemical compounds. It no longer pays to use real fruit syrups for soda water, as all of them can be imitated with artificial ethers or by mixtures of ethers.

The largest commercial success in the way of an artificial flavoring is vanillin. This product is keeping down the price of vanilla beans, and is likely to push them from the market. Already the chemists are manufacturing oil of bananas, oil of pineapple, oil of pear, oil of apple, oil of raspberry and many others.

The chemists know how to counterfeit lactic acid, which is the sour principle of sour milk. They also make citric acid, which is the sour of the lemon. A recent achievement is the manufacture of salicylic acid from carbolic acid. One of the remedies for gout and rheumatism is salicylic acid; it is also useful as a preservative. Formerly it was obtained from the wintergreen plant and from certain varieties of willows, and was very costly. At present, however, it is made by the ton, and is extremely cheap; too cheap, in fact, inasmuch as it is freely employed to give a better keeping quality to bottled and otherwise preserved foods. It kills the bacteria that produce decomposition, but in the stomach it destroys the digestive ferments, and on that account is injurious to health.

Muffs Made Long.

A new fashion in muffs has resulted in London from the short-sleeve craze, which has not been abandoned at the approach of winter. To protect the forearm, the new muff is elongated and bent at each end, so that it reaches up to meet the sleeves.

With a muff up to each elbow, the short-sleeved girl cannot help being cosy on the coldest day.

What He Was After.

Father had just sunk the carving knife into the turkey, when there came the usual ring at the bell.

"Look here, Maud," he said, sternly. "If that young man of yours is going to call four nights a week regularly, tell him to come after dinner."

"It isn't necessary, father," replied the young girl. "That's what he comes after."—(New York Press.

THE INNOCENT BYSTANDER

The Naked King.

They have stripped the king
kingliness,
They have left him bare of
ly pride;
He has naught today such
possess
Save a realm that reaches
wide,
Save a palace here and a
And an army tame to the
call
And a castle high and a
And a robe and scepter
that's all.

For the king stands forth in
ing sun
As a naked soul at the
And upon his conscience,
Do the stinging shafts of
geance beat,
And he hides himself in the
And he cringes now in the
hall,
For his kingliness has
him;
He has left his robe and
and all.

And he cannot hide in the
night,
For the eyes that see
that pierce
Through the veil of dark
light
That is grim and chill
and fierce;
And he shrouds himself
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And he paces slowly
But he knows for
enough—
Just the crown and
rings and all.

And the courtiers laugh
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But they cannot keep
ing ears
All the curses flung
and days
And the hissing words
soul hears,
And the sob and the
guished heart,
And the ceaseless moan
that crawl
May never, never be
By the jeweled robes
and all.

They have stripped a
liness,
They have bared a
fame,
For his trafficking in a
They have torn the
once great name—
And a naked king he
In a palace tomb, he
For his royal pride
away
Save the tawdry
crown—and all.

Little Henry's Memorandum.

Uncle Bill says most
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Pa says he qit four
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My sister's beau still
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for him.

Pa says in spite of
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Uncle Bill says the
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Save a palace here and a palace there
And an army tame to the trumpet call
And a castle high and a garden fair
And a robe and scepter and crown—that's all.

For the king stands forth in the shining sun
As a naked soul at the judgment throne
And upon his conscience, one by one,
Do the stinging shafts of the vengeance beat.
And he hides himself in the palaces
And he cringes now in the state hall,
For his kingliness has been torn from him;
He has left his robe and his crown and all.

And he cannot hide in the dungeon night,
For the eyes that see are the eyes that pierce
Through the veil of dark with a searching light
That is grim and chill, that is fell and fierce;
And he shrouds himself in his ermine stuff
And he paces slowly along the way
But he knows for kings it is far enough—
Just the crown and robe and rings and all.

And the courtiers laugh and the courtiers praise,
But they cannot keep from his burning ears
All the curses flung through the days and days
And the hissing words that his soul hears,
And the sob and the sigh of his anguished heart,
And the ceaseless moan of the land that craw!
May never, never be held apart
By the jeweled robe and the crown and all.

They have stripped a king of his kingliness,
They have bared a king of his fame,
For his trafficking in a lust that once great name—
And a naked king he sits today
In a palace tomb, in an ermine gown
For his royal pride they have stripped away
Save the tawdry throne and the crown—and all.

Little Henry's Memoranda.

Uncle Bill says most of us are down and make a whole lot of resolutions for everybody else.

Old Mister Green says a man chewin' tobacco would make a man of him, but at his time of life he isn't going to chase the habit.

Pa says he got four bad habits in January and immediately adopted a new one, so he isent going to make any more.

My sister's beau still looks like he is in a deep study. My Uncle Bill says no doubt he is tryin' to figure out what to do with the present my sister got for him.

Pa says in spite of the optimistic newspapers there was the average number of sunny days and rainy days this year.

Uncle Bill says the wisdom of a man is shown when a dry goods house sends you the bill for your Christmas present and a happy New Year card with it.

WILBUR [illegible]

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Grape Growing in Colusa County.

The grape-growing industry in the territory surrounding the town of Williams, Colusa county, will be developed on a large scale this spring. Several people are going to set out tracts ranging from 10 to 150 acres. A corporation is being organized to plant the Rancho Lubin ranch, situated on Stone Creek, which contains [illegible] acres in wine grapes.

The intentions are to conduct to operate a large winery as soon as the vines commence bearing. Another industry that will [illegible] vicinity is the oil. The Standard Oil Company is now boring for oil. The first two were failures, but the outlook for success from the third one is very flattering, and if the drillers of the company are successful leases on land, and the company is recorded with the County Recorder, 1113 acres in the past few days. All the new land leased is in close proximity to the present well.

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With the final passing of the Republican League of Los Angeles, there has been born a project for a Republican club that shall stand for something, an organization built on lines entirely different from those of the league, which had but a small membership and little if any excuse for existence.

[illegible] Republican leaders are [illegible] the formation of a real [illegible] that will afford comfort and [illegible] for its members and will baud [illegible] closely politically. Organization [illegible] political lines probably will be [illegible] and it may be that some[illegible] of the nature of a machine will [illegible] up, although it is declared by [illegible] interested in the project that no [illegible] will be made to pattern after [illegible] York's Tammany Hall.

[illegible] Republican League never seemed [illegible] head or tail. It is true that [illegible] Black was the nominal secretary, but no one ever bothered to [illegible] the identity of the other officers, [illegible] were any. The rooms at No. [illegible] South Spring street were the [illegible] quarters for a rather motley, not [illegible] mongrel, gathering of youths [illegible] who played cards or pool, or [illegible] in the big arm chairs. While [illegible] of them were Republicans, not [illegible] them were representative party [illegible], in fact, Republican leaders [illegible] were to be found there. [illegible] the rooms are dark, the furniture has been sold, it is said, and [illegible] league is no more.

[illegible] It is figured that there are at [illegible] active young and old Republicans in Los Angeles who would [illegible] to ally themselves with a [illegible] club, with parlors, cafe and [illegible] other attractions, not so gorgeous as the Jonathan Club, not so [illegible] as the California, and different [illegible] way from the Union League, [illegible] has recently shown Democratic [illegible].

[illegible] how soon the new club will be [illegible] is uncertain, but there seems [illegible] question that it will be in excellent running order long before the [illegible] campaign of 1908. The [illegible] caught on with nearly everyone [illegible] it has been broached, and [illegible] as if it were to fill the [illegible] long-felt want. This club will [illegible] speeches from Democratic [illegible] and it will support Republican nominees.

[illegible] Lloyd of Santa Barbara will not [illegible] into the position of chief [illegible] of the Assembly at the coming [illegible] of the Legislature. "Jake" [illegible] of San Francisco, for many [illegible] assistant secretary of the [illegible] State Central Committee, [illegible] place. He has the support [illegible] George Stone and other prominent [illegible] of the State, and is [illegible] with many of the Assembly[illegible] because of his recurrent and [illegible] campaign activity. He has [illegible] during previous sessions as minority [illegible] in the Assembly, but now [illegible] for the chief office, which carries [illegible] prestige along with its salary [illegible] a day. Lloyd has been chief [illegible] for two or three sessions, and has a popular officer.

[illegible]

[illegible]man P. A. Stanton has not [illegible] lost [illegible] of becoming Speaker of [illegible] Assembly, despite the fact [illegible] L. Beardsley of Stockton is the [illegible] name is mentioned most [illegible] for the office. It is urged [illegible] Stanton's candidacy that he [illegible] a recent Pardee supporter prior [illegible] State convention, and there [illegible] to be a feeling in some quarters [illegible] that he might not be exactly in [illegible] with the new administration, although he probably was one of the [illegible] to organize a Gillett and Porter [illegible] after the nominations were made. [illegible], it is said, may retain his [illegible] as chairman of the Ways and [illegible] Committee, but he would rather [illegible], and it may be he will not [illegible] the chairmanship of the leading [illegible] in the Assembly.

[illegible] are several other candidates [illegible] membership, including Estudillo [illegible], Warren John of San Luis [illegible] Dyer of Fresno, and Devlin of [illegible] but Beardsley, at this stage of [illegible], seems to be in the lead.

[illegible] members of the State Legislature have visited Sacramento recently that the temporary quarters [illegible] Senate and Assembly will [illegible] as inconvenient as at first had [illegible]. It is true that the [illegible] which the two branches [illegible] Legislature are to be housed is [illegible] from the Capitol, but [illegible] and Assembly chambers, [illegible], will accommodate the [illegible] comfortably. There will be [illegible] on the floor of either house, [illegible] for the public, while the gallery [illegible] outsiders will afford few attractions [illegible] to spectators.

[illegible] itself is in a sorry state. [illegible] off, some offices and the [illegible] chambers are torn to pieces, [illegible] corridors are cluttered with [illegible] material. A number of State [illegible] quarters in different [illegible] of the city pending completion [illegible].

[illegible] the appropriation of $300,000 [illegible] was made two years ago it [illegible] that the work would be [illegible] in time for the opening of [illegible] session, but the work was [illegible] will early in the present [illegible] the falling of the disaster [illegible] Francisco brought upon its [illegible] a scarcity of building material [illegible] a time almost stopped work [illegible] building.

[illegible] expected that there will be a [illegible] scramble than ever among [illegible] workers for sinecures within [illegible] of the legislators during the [illegible] session. What amount the [illegible] expenditure in patronage may [illegible] a matter only of conjecture. [illegible] at the last election took [illegible], and it is left for the lawmakers [illegible] decide what limit shall be [illegible] the employment of attachés, [illegible] of whom do no stroke [illegible] from the beginning to the end [illegible].

[illegible] of the constitutional amendments [illegible] submitted to the voters at the [illegible] election provided that salaries [illegible] each legislator should be fixed [illegible] for the session, and that the [illegible] in each house should be [illegible] $200 a day—this amount being [illegible] the maximum available [illegible] expenses. While this would [illegible] the pay of the legislators [illegible] cut the total expenses under the [illegible] proposed new system would [illegible] less than under the existing [illegible].

[illegible] was the only county of [illegible] that gave a majority vote in [illegible] the change. It lost heavily [illegible] the State, and the lawmakers [illegible] say it will be the fault [illegible] if a majority of patronage [illegible] members insist in throwing [illegible] State's money away on needless [illegible].

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$35 WAS $65.00: Mole colored broadcloth suit; Eton jacket, with attached girdle; trimmings of black taffeta, braided, and Val. lace; box pleated skirt.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Friday Morning.

A charming woman and well-known lecturer of Chicago, Mrs. Eleanor Bingham, for fifteen years an authority on art and literature in that city and vicinity, will appear before the Friday Morning Club today. Mrs. Margaret C. Graham, who was to have addressed the club, is lying critically

MRS. ELEANOR BINGHAM, well-known club woman and lecturer of Chicago, to appear at the Friday Morning Club, today.

ill, and Mrs. Bingham, now visiting relatives in the city, was secured to fill the vacancy.

"American Artists, as Seen from the Other Side," will be the subject of Mrs. Bingham's talk, and it promises a treat for art lovers in Los Angeles, for the speaker has had opportunities in this line that come to few artists or lecturers. Last year she went abroad as the guest of Mrs. Potter Palmer, remaining for some time in Mrs. Palmer's home in Paris and at her place of abode in London, meeting the most noted artists, sculptors and painters in the world, as well as enjoying exceptional opportunities in a social and literary way.

She gave art talks to classes of English-speaking people in the galleries of the Louvre, and had the pleasure of knowing many American artists who have achieved note on the other side. Frederick Macmonnies and his wife, an American girl, who has won great success as a mural painter; Elizabeth Gardiner, now Madame Bougoureau, and the four wonderful Klumpke sisters of California will all be mentioned in the talk this morning. Mrs. Bingham had the pleasure of meeting Rodin, who is said to lead the world of sculpture today, and she witnessed the unveiling of his statue, "The Thinker," which was placed in front of the Pantheon as a gift to the city of Paris. She attended the reception given in London by the International Society of Art to Rodin, who is president of this world-wide organization.

In London Mrs. Bingham had the opportunity of learning the English attitude toward the work of Abbey, the noted American who was selected to paint the coronation of King Edward VII, and there are a world of rich and vivid experiences bearing upon the subject chosen that the speaker of the morning will have to relate.

Mrs. Bingham has been a well-known club woman in Chicago for many years, being an honorary member of the North Side Art Club. For ten weeks of every summer she talks before the Chautauquas of the country under the management of the Slayton Bureau.

MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

"The Light Eternal," play by Martin V. erie, which was given one of its first productions here at the Burbank last winter, has not proved an eternal illumination in New York.

The principals of the cast which has just finished exploiting it at the Majestic Theater were headed by James Neill, Edward Mackay and Edythe Chapman. At the sixteenth performance the light failed.

Of the piece and its production Channing Pollock, the well-known agent, theatrical and playmaker, writes: Religious dramas are much like threering circuses in their similarity to one another, and anybody who strayed into the Majestic during the engagement of "The Light Eternal" had only the word of the programme to prove that he was not witnessing "The Sign of the Cross," "Quo Vadis" or "The Nazarene." The stories of these plays are identical. A Christian loves a pagan, who is converted to the true faith about the time the Christian is converted into breakfast food for the lions. The "big moment" always comes in the third act, when the Christian aforesaid breathes defiance to the Roman Emperor, who invariably gets as hot under the collar over the matter as though this same thing hadn't happened to him at least once a season ever since Wilson Barrett came to America. Excepting only the gentleman who invented afternoon tea, nobody has been quite as great an aid to the drama as Nero. It is an evidence of the base ingratitude which seems to be part of the literary temperament that no member of the American Dramatists' Club has yet suggested a monument to him in Central Park.

There is just one thrill in "The Light Eternal." Marco Valerius has declared himself to Diocletian and others of Rome's "400." The Emperor commands that he be made to kneel before the altar of Jupiter. Marco is forced into an attitude of worship, but at this moment a flash of lightning destroys the idol and in its place appears a flaming cross. The idea is good, though the lady who goes to the theater with me, being familiar with our modern sacred drama, suggested that in the days of the persecution there must have been a special corps of angels delegated to the doing out of miracles.

Mme. Gadski, during her visit here last winter, deplored the fact that she could not return to America this year. Herr Conreid would not make a contract which was endurable, she said, and perforce she would remain in Germany.

However, it seems evident today that the diplomatic German soprano has the Metropolitan director in a corner, and terms will be made after all.

Conreid has just found himself minus a Wagnerian soprano, owing to the inability of Mme. Ternina and Mme. Morena to come to New York as they had contracted to do. Now no other soprano of Gadski's reputation and ability is available, so the manager has come to her for help.

She will make her Metropolitan reappearance the first week in February, and will play the Brunhilde and also Isolde, in addition to other roles in German music-drama.

The Philharmonic Society of Long Beach will essay "The Messiah" tonight, in the municipal auditorium. The resident Long Beach choral society, numbering about 150 voices, will be augmented by an approximate 100 from the Apollo Club of this city.

Mr. Schoenefeld will direct, and the soloists will be Mrs. Catherine Collette, Mrs. Elizabeth Fonda, Ernest Leeman and Charles Bowes, all of Los Angeles.

Less than 200 people attended the last Gabrilowitsch recital, at Simpson Auditorium, last night, for the proverbial Behymer rain came down with the usual fervor during the whole performance.

The wet did not dampen the ardor of the player, however, nor quench the enthusiasm of the audience. The pianist was in excellent form, and his programme was appreciated to the unusual extent of almost twenty encores. Gabrilowitsch and the audience got on close terms of intimacy—as indeed they must, when so few in numbers—and a reception and melodic love-feast concluded the evening.

After this Gabrilowitsch, Hekking, Wilczek, Seiling and others enjoyed a feast of more earthly sort, at the Angelus.

Today Gabrilowitsch starts East, to keep his next date, which is as soloist with the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

Hekking will also leave today, going north for a week of appearances. He will return for his final Southern California concerts about the end of next week.

Lots and acreage at Palms. Palms Land, Light and Water Co., 422 H. W. Hellman Bldg., 409-11 Delta Bldg.

A DROP IN THE BUCKET.

In the Police Court yesterday J. W. Scott, Harry Hiles, C. C. Ryder and C. B. Dennison pleaded guilty to a charge of running bucket shops, and were fined $50 each, which they paid. Patrolman Berchtold gathered the evidence against the four men and says it was sufficient to convict them if they had stood trial.

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Our Big Mid-Winter Suit Sale Starts Today

The Event For Which You Have Waited. An Event Worth Waiting For

A mammoth sale of $20,000 worth of ladies' fine, man tailored suits—strictly high class, correct in style, elegantly designed, and excellently finished. You'll find all desirable cloths and weaves in most popular colorings. In short, the lot reflects the season's best fashions and materials. We are going to turn these suits into money before inventory and in order to do so we have done some very exceptional price cutting. An actual reduction of 1-3 to 1-2 has been made on the price of every suit. In addition for Friday we offer lines of ladies' coats, skirts, sacques, etc., at prices you can't afford to overlook.

$25.00 Suits $12.50

An excellent assortment of suits in fancy stripes and mixtures, made in tight-fitting, Eton, and half-fitted jacket styles. All nicely lined with silk or satin, with stylishly-modeled pleated skirts. Worth up to $25.00. For this sale at half price $12.50

$55.00 Suits $27.50

Excellently tailored high-grade broadcloth suits in pretty blouse, Eton and tight-fitting styles. They come in the season's popular colors—brown, blue, green, red, and black. Values up to $55.00; for this sale $27.50

Tailor Suits $30.00

Fine, high-grade tailor suits, of best chiffon Panama. All newest and best effects; coats are silk lined throughout and finished with pockets. Newest models in pleated skirts. Suits that sell regularly at $55.00 and $60.00. For this sale cut to $30.00

$7.50 Skirts $3.75

One hundred good walking skirts in large range of styles and materials. Big assortment of solid colors and fancy mixtures. Regular price for these is $6.75, and $7.50. Just half price today $3.75

$16.50 Coats $12.50

Fine 7-8 tourist coats in new plaids and mixtures. Made double-breasted; lined yoke and sleeves, and notch collars. These come in pretty materials, and are worth up to $16.50. Priced for this sale $12.50

$30.00 Suits $15.00

Pretty Prince Chap suits in panama and broadcloth in neat checks, plaids and mixtures, excellently made silk lined coats and pretty pleated skirts. Suits actually worth $30.00 for this sale at $15.00

$40.00 Cloth Suits $20.00

High grade finely tailored suits in pretty cloths, tweeds and panamas, made in the popular eton and tight fitting jacket styles, with silk lined coats and pleated skirts. Values up to $40.00, for this sale at $20.00

Cravenette Rain Coats $10.00

Good serviceable cravenette rain coats made double breasted or fly front, with half fitted or box backs in pretty tans, browns and grays. Regular $15.00 coats for this sale cut to, each $10.00

Children's Coats $4.50

Big line of children's coats in stripes and mixtures, made with two pockets and finished with velvet collars; good colors, and worth $6.00. Sale price $4.50

$7.50 Silk Petticoats

Pretty silk petticoats in all wanted colors and black, made of best quality taffeta with deep gathered flounces and worth in a regular way $7.50. Priced for this sale at, each $4.89

$6.00 Bath Robes $3.98

A clean-up on men's blanket bath robes. These come in dark and medium colors, pretty patterns and are nicely finished with cord and girdle. Values up to $6.00. For this sale, each $3.98

Big Lace Curtain Values on Third Floor

Friday and Saturday every lace curtain in the stock will be reduced nearly 25 per cent. In the various lots you'll find pretty white and Arabian curtains, three yards long, in newest designs, worth

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50 rolls of fine matting, worth in a regular way 25c to 35c, for, per yard 21c

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Just a few pretty art squares left from a big lot. They will be closed out at the following reductions:

$7.50 9x12 art squares, $4.98. $6.00 9x9 art squares, $3.98. $5.00 7.6x10.6 art squares, $3.21.

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Ladies' fine silk luster vests and pants; perfect fitting garments in the Oxford cut; regular $1.75 values for half price 85c

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Children's fleece lined vests in gray or cream color in sizes 16, 18 and 20; a regular 25c garment for, each 10c

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Men's fine Australian wool shirts and drawers; an excellent weight and well worth $1.25 for, per garment 98c

$1.00 Golf Shirts 65c

50 dozen men's golf shirts in light and dark grounds; well made of fine percale, madras and chambray and worth regularly $1.00 for, each 65c

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Men's silk neckwear in dark and light colors; excellent patterns; regular 35c to 50c ties for, each 25c

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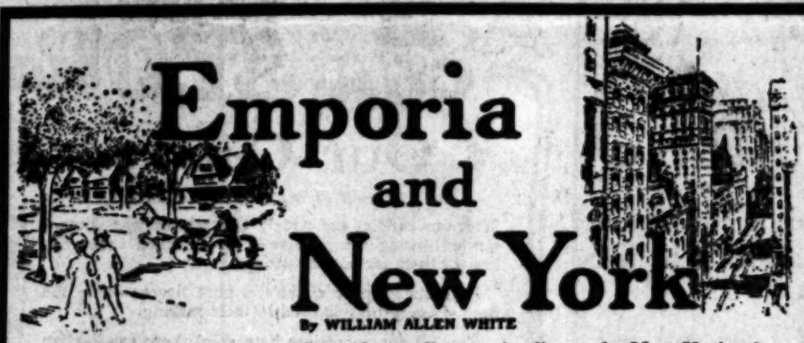
New model in the celebrated kid fitting corset; medium bust, dip hip with garter attachment in front; $2 values for, per pair $1.69



Emporia and New York

By WILLIAM ALLEN WHITE

Who gets most out of life—the small-town dweller or the New Yorker? Which offers most—the serenity of the country community or the rush and glamor of the city? Which would *you* rather be—a cottager on a shady avenue, or a flat-dweller in a six-story cell-house?

Which would you rather do—wear old clothes and know everybody or new ones and know hardly anybody?

It startles you at first—this witty contrast of typical country town with the metropolis. And then you take in its illuminating truth. Emporians, New Yorkers and everybody else will surely want to read it, in

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For January

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Ida M. Tarbell describes "An Outbreak of Protectionism," being the second chapter of her great political history, "The Tariff in Our Times."

F. Marion Crawford begins his newest and best romantic novel, "Arethusa, a Princess in Slavery," a love story of old Constantinople.

David Grayson relates another of the "Adventures in Contentment." A sedative for modern restlessness.

Ray Stannard Baker reports "An Extraordinary Experiment in Brotherhood," picturing Mrs. Katherine Tingley's Colony at Point Loma, Cal.

Washington Gladden discusses "The Negro Crisis," and the pressing question, "Is the Negro to be Citizen or Serf?"

George Madden Martin tells more of her new "Emmy Lou" child, "Letitia, Nursery Corps, U. S. A."

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

BRILLIANT and rechecké was the second assembly dance of the season given last evening at Krafft hall, at which fashion's favorites held sway in a realm of beauty. It was, without doubt, the loveliest of the Christmas functions, and over two hundred maids and bachelors tripped the measures of the merry dance to the tune of the lightsome music given by Arend's full orchestra. The supper hall was a gracious sight, with its Christmas hangings, arranged by Miss Forman. From the ceiling swung a huge Christmas bell, all covered with feathery asparagus ferns and shining tinsel. About the sides of the dome were hung garlands of asparagus ferns, caught with bells of tulle. Suspended between garlands were merry Christmas bells hanging still lower were lights, covered with great airy balls of white tulle, gleaming with silvery tinsel. The entire hall was hung with tulle, and festoons of asparagus, caught with the fairy lights and tulle balls, with silvery bells. Over the many mirrors which banded the room Alabama smilax was flung in charming fashion, and among the shining leaves peeped out lights hidden beneath red and white tulle and silver tinsel. Over the doors, the smilax was draped and in each corner a huge cluster of flaming poinsettias gave a fetching bit of color. The musicians' stand was screened with a mass of red tulle and asparagus ferns, at each end of which stood two Christmas trees, hung with many silvery things.

The supper rooms, where supper was served, were those of snow and icicles, and the dining room was hung with glittering tinsel, and evergreens. Lights were shaded with silvery gauze, and the candles were particularly pretty, the large round ones were arranged down the center of the room, and these gorgeous poinsettias made attractive centerpieces, and the Christmas favors were at each place. The other tables were decorated with holly and scarlet carnations.

The women who acted as patronesses on this function include: Mmes. J. Mellus, Joseph B. Banning, Chaffee, George S. Patton, Alexander and E. T. Brown.

There were nearly four hundred members and assemblies, and there has been no trouble occasioned over the issuance of guest cards, as there has been a great demand for these, and the desire of many to take part. The giving of these cards is entirely with the patronesses, who have had to refuse many, as the capacity of the hally is limited and a certain number can be comfortably accommodated.

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Guests Here.

Miss Elinor Merrill, a beautiful San Francisco girl, whose engagement to Kinney Craig, a well-known society man of this city, was recently announced, is here as the guest of Mrs. Craig of Lamanda Park. Miss Merrill is considered one of San Francisco's prettiest, as well as most wealthy belles, and the announcement of her engagement to Mr. Craig is a matter of surprise here. Another of the Misses Martha and Elizabeth Craig of Lamanda Park have issued invitations for a large reception and tea on the afternoon of January 2. Miss Craig belongs to a pioneer family.

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Guests at Riverside.

Mrs. Ralph Dow, who spent the holidays visiting Mrs. Dow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. T. Jenkins, and her mother, Mrs. Frederick C. Severance street, left yesterday for their home.

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Married a Bride.

A pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jerrue, 321 South Olive street on Tuesday evening, Mrs. Emma S. Jerrue and Frank Jerrue, both of this city, the interested parties. The vows were read by Rev. Mr. Vincent M. E. Church. The bride was simply and effectively attired in white and wore white flowers. She has been for some years quite prominent in church and social circles here, and was attended by Miss Jerrue. The rooms were prettily decorated with Christmas greens and ferns and bright holly and a jolly feature of the evening was the Christmas pie, which was cut and found to contain dainty gifts for each guest. Special parties came from Pasadena in stages, among them Prof. C. F. Holder and party and H. H. Sinclair and party. Los Angeles and the San Gabriel Valley were also well represented.

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Miss Griffin Here.

Miss Julia Griffin, one of the beautiful girls of St. Paul, is here to spend several months and mayhap to make her home. She came a few days ago to act as maid of honor at the marriage of her sister, Miss Nancy Griffin and Seth Marshall, which took place on Wednesday at noon. Miss Griffin is a sweet blonde, with soft masses of fluffy hair and eyes as blue as the skies. Her complexion has the color of the rose rivalled, and she is a most vivacious and charming girl. Many pleasant functions are being planned for this visiting maid.

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Silverwoods Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Silverwood, who have been making their home at Hotel Alexandria, for a number of months, left yesterday morning for New York, where they expect to be guests at the Imperial Hotel. Mrs. Silverwood is possessed of a splendid voice and studied last year in New York under leading vocalists. She expects to spend the winter there again, and will continue her musical studies. Mr. Silverwood will remain for a time, returning however, within six weeks, to his business.

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New Year's Eve Bride.

An interesting wedding will be that of Miss Mamie Gilmore and Robert William Lockyer, which is to take place on New Year's eve, December 31, at the Pico Heights Congregational Church, with Rev. Schaeffle officiating. Miss Blanche Gilmore is to be maid of honor, and Claude Van Norman will be best man. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Mary Gilmore of No. 2834 West Pico street.

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Miss Schultz a Bride.

Miss Lena S. Schultz and Charles L. Hardesty were married Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's brother, No. 231 Hawthorne street, with Rev. M. Cemp officiating.

Miss Rosalie Schultz, twin sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and William F. Schultz was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Hardesty will make their home in Riverside.

For Miss Palmer.

In honor of handsome Miss Bess Palmer of Oakland, who is visiting Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Bryant of West Twenty-eighth street, Miss Mary Norton will entertain on Saturday afternoon at the Los Angeles Country Club with an informal tea.

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Party at "Woodhurst."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ogilvy-Wood opened their beautiful home "Woodhurst" in Alhambra to give a Christmas dance on Tuesday evening. The home was beautifully decorated with Christmas greens and ferns and bright holly and a jolly feature of the evening was the Christmas pie, which was cut and found to contain dainty gifts for each guest. Special parties came from Pasadena in stages, among them Prof. C. F. Holder and party and H. H. Sinclair and party. Los Angeles and the San Gabriel Valley were also well represented.

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Friday "Something Doing" Day In Combination With the Dividend Sale

TODAY marks the close for 1906 of these famous "Something Doing" days. Each one during the year has seemed to be the climax of value giving, but each succeeding one has gone one better. And this last one in connection with the bargains of the Dividend Sale will be certainly the best day of all.

Rain or shine get in today for some of these remarkable values. Shop at the Real Bargain Center of Los Angeles.

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High class wool waists in staple and evening colors; nun's veilings and albatross, brilliantines and flannels; plain and fancy trimmed effects open in back or front; hardly all sizes in any one lot; values up to $5.00. On sale Friday at $2.48

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Long fleece lined kimonos in polka dot and striped patterns and Persian effects; collars, cuffs and fronts neatly trimmed; $2 value for $1.25.

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Full cut outing gowns made of plain white, blue and pink and fancy pink and blue striped outing flannel; neatly trimmed; $1.35 value for 98c.

75c Silks 57c
Plain and fancy silks; splendid weaves that will give good satisfactory wear; worth 75c a yard. Friday at 57c.

30c Wash Silks 22c
A very fine quality wash silk in good variety of colors and a deep rich black; 21 inches wide; splendid 30c quality for 22c a yard Friday.

50c Dress Goods 29c
Good weight 36-inch fabrics in greens, red, brown, blue and black mixtures; also small broken checks and plaids; worth 50c a yard. On sale Friday at 29c.

$12.50 Long Coats $8.50
Women's cheviot coats in plaids of light and dark colors; have velvet collar, patch pockets and box backs; strapped with same material; full 50 inches long; good $12.50 value for $8.50.

$15.00 Rain Coats $9.75
Fine rain proof material in tan and light and dark gray; with and without belt; flat collar finished with braids; plaited back. $15.00 rain coats for $9.75 Friday.

$7.50 Skirts $5.00
Chiffon Panama, cheviot and serge and chiffon broadcloth skirts; strapped and tailor stitched; gored with box or knife plaiting; black, navy, brown and gray skirts worth up to $7.50.

$6.00 Skirts $3.75
Panama cheviot in light and dark plaids; gored and plaited front, side and back; trimmed with strapping of same material; values to $6.00.

$27.50 Women's Tailor Suits $14.50
Panama, cheviot and serge suits; Etons, Prince Chap and semi and fitted styles; satin and silk lined; plaids, checks and plain navy, brown, green, black and gray; gored and plaited front, side and back; values to $27.50. Friday on sale at $14.50.

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$15.00 Smyrna Rugs $8.98
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Heavy 8½x11½-feet French body Brussels rugs; excellent wearing and splendid patterns and colors; rugs worth $20.00. Friday at $14.48.

$30 Axminster Rugs $21.50
Handsome new Axminster rugs in floral and Oriental designs; size 9x12 feet; rich colors; $30.00 rugs for $21.50.

$1.00 Door Mats at 75c
Thick cocoa brush door mats with extra well bound edges that cannot fray out; good size, worth regularly $1.00. On sale Friday at 75c.

$2.50 TABLE COVERS $1.25
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APPLAUSE NEARLY CAUSES PANIC.

"THE MIKADO" PROVES A PLEASER IN PASADENA.

Goodly Attendance at the Presentation of Opera, Notwithstanding the Rain—City Authorities After Venders Who Serve Milk in Dirty Bottles—Mufflers for Motors.

Office of The Times, No. 36 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Dec. 26.—In spite of the inclement weather which made people prefer their firesides to venturing out into the wet, there was a goodly attendance at the Pasadena Operahouse last night, when the choir of All Saints' Church presented Gilbert and Sullivan's opera, "The Mikado." The audience did not represent the entire seat sale, however, as early in the day the last ticket was disposed of and many people were turned away or furnished tickets for tonight's performance because they neglected ordering their seats until too late.

The production was pronounced a success, both artistically and financially, and all who were fortunate enough to secure seats were loud in their praises. In spite of the fact that most of the participants had little or no experience in such work, Tom Carl directed the production so skilfully that things went off without a hitch, and no professionals could have kept the interest up better.

Leroy Jepson, as Nanki-Poo, was particularly well cast and was in fine voice. He was perfectly at home in his role and each of his numbers was heartily encored. Revel English as Pooh-Bah also scored a most pronounced hit and contributed in no small measure to the success of the evening. Others who wrote success after their names were: Mrs. William E. Neff, Mrs. Arthur H. Savage, Miss Chita Kraft, Miss Grace Marvin, George L. North, George A. Clark, Ben E. Leslie and Arthur K. Wyatt.

At the close of the first act the applause was so loud and long continued that some of the audience thought that the building was on fire. Many of them arose from their seats and for a minute or two it looked as though a panic might ensue, but the cooler heads prevailed upon the others to sit down again and the incident passed off without mishap.

MORE DIRTY BOTTLES.

More complaints are being received concerning the condition of the bottles in which milk is delivered, and yesterday afternoon Sanitary Inspector Huddleston applied for a warrant for the arrest of one of the Raab Company's drivers. The man is charged with selling impure milk and the charge will be vigorously prosecuted, as the authorities are determined to put a stop with the habit of using unclean bottles.

The latest complainant is W. K. Dunn, and the sample which he brought to the health office is disgusting. City Health Officer Black stated last night that it was by far the most flagrant case that had been brought to his notice, and that the bottle was in a most unsanitary condition.

It has been the claim of the Raab Company that its bottles are all scientifically cleaned, but apparently the machinery must be out of order, as there have been many complaints concerning the company's bottles of late. The excuse has been made that customers do not rinse out their bottles, and that in consequence it is impossible to thoroughly cleanse them, but the city authorities will not be satisfied with any such excuse.

When milk was raised to 10 cents a quart the excuse was made that the increased cost of operation of the business made the increase in price necessary, but the quality of the product has not kept pace with the price, and the health officer is determined that the companies shall be forced to use only bottles that are wholesome and sweet in delivering their product.

There is at present on the ordinance books a law which requires that all cattle from which milk is sold within the corporate limits of Pasadena shall be put to the tuberculin test. This ordinance is vigorously enforced.

WANT STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

C. D. Daggett and John Wadsworth appeared before the Council yesterday morning on behalf of the property owners on Colorado street west of Terrace Drive and asked that the street be macadamized, sidewalked and guttered. The necessary number of property holders had signed the petition and the matter was referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

This matter was brought up several months ago but has been delayed, owing to a misunderstanding concerning the exact terms. Messrs. Daggett and Wadsworth stated that it was the desire of those interested, to have the matter settled as soon as possible and steps will probably be taken to comply with their wishes.

MUFFLERS FOR MOTORS.

A petition was presented asking that the Council pass an ordinance requiring that all motorcycles passing through town be muffled and that the riders be held responsible for the carrying out of the law. It was also asked that the ordinance include a provision requiring that such machines be equipped with numbers to facilitate the identification of the riders in case of accident or violation of the law. The matter was referred to the committee on ordinance and judiciary.

PLAN MEETS FAVOR.

The Roads Committee of the Board of Trade reports that the answers which are being received to the letters concerning the advisability of bonding the county to the amount of $3,000,000 for the construction of roads are almost without exception in favor of the project. There is a strong sentiment in favor of improving the system of roads in Southern California, and the project at present under consideration seems to meet with universal approval.

Although the postal cards sent out simply asked for a "yes" or "no" to the question, in nearly every case the men answering have made quotations on the card and the terms used in regard of the project are such as to allow of no misapprehension. Men prominently identified with affairs in this section have gone on record as favoring the project and, as far as Pasadena is concerned, it looks as though there will be but little opposition.

STOLEN WHEEL FOUND.

Desk Sergeant Pierce of the police department yesterday afternoon recovered a bicycle which was stolen in March. The machine was found in a local cyclery where a man was attempting to sell it and was at once confiscated. The wheel was stolen in Los Angeles and was reported here.

The man who, it is charged stole the wheel, Charles Robinson, is now doing time at San Diego for petty larceny. As he was sent up from Pasadena for a similar offense it is likely that he will get a long term when he is brought up for stealing the wheel.

Before his arrest here last March he lived for some time at a local rooming house and left the wheel as security for his room rent. The proprietor of the house kept it until recently when he decided to sell it. When confronted with the evidence that the property was stolen he readily relinquished all claim upon it.

SOCIETY DOINGS.

Mrs. Charles M. Baker of the Avon, entertained last evening in honor of her daughter, Miss Clara Baker. The evening was passed with progressive games, the score cards being miniature Christmas stockings.

The Thimble Society of the Woman's Relief Corps will meet Wednesday, January 2, at the home of the president, Mrs. Hamblet at No. 139 South Madison avenue.

The marriage of Miss Anne Goodwin and Julius M. Nisson will take place on New Year's Day at the 3:30 o'clock, at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in South Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Larson of No. 425 North Los Robles avenue have as their guests for an indefinite visit, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson of San José.

Mrs. Louise Anderegg and her two daughters, Miss Grace and Miss May Anderegg, of No. 761 North Fair Oaks avenue, who have been visiting in Elsinore will return home in time for the tournament. Miss Cora Haase of Oak Park, Ill., a niece of Mrs. Anderegg, is also with the party.

Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Hill of Palmetto Drive have as their guests for the holidays their son, Prof. Charles C. Hill and his little daughter, Mr. Hill is the superintendent of the public schools at Palo Alto.

Miss Altadena Green, daughter of Col. and Mrs. G. G. Green, was the guest of honor at a dinner party given Christmas evening by Mrs. Green of Los Angeles.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry W. White who spent the holidays here with Mr. White's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. J. A. White of South Marengo avenue, left today for their home in Covina.

Last night was ladies' night at the Twilight Club and a large meeting was held at Hotel Maryland, 100 guests being present. Judge Enoch of Los Angeles was the speaker of the evening and read a paper on "The Puritans." The new officers of the club are Dr. J. H. McBride, president; Rev. E. S. McKittrick, vice-president; S. F. Johnson, secretary and treasurer; Arthur H. Chamberlain, George Stimson and Dr. F. C. E. Mattison, programme committee.

The members of the Revellers' Club entertained their friends last evening with a dance at the Shakespeare clubhouse.

The members of the Pasadena High School football team will give a banquet Saturday evening at the Hotel Maryland in honor of their coach.

The Throop Alumni Association held its annual midwinter meeting last evening at Stickney Memorial Hall.

The members of the Gnome Club of Throop will give a banquet on New Year's eve at Hotel Maryland.

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BUSINESS MEN PAY FINES.

Fail to Appear Before the City Recorder for Jury Duty and Are Mulcted.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 27.—An imposing array of prominent business and professional men of this city lined up before City Recorder Smith this afternoon, charged with contempt of court. The list included Frank Foot, A. E. Maloy, L. M. Quinn, Jess Knight, William La Plant, Henry Weldon, John Mathews, John Randall, William Carpenter and T. M. Martin.

On yesterday a petty case was set in the Recorder's Court for trial. The foregoing gentlemen had been summoned as jurors, but all of them failed to appear at the appointed hour. The ire of Recorder Smith was aroused at the failure of these representative citizens to show their patriotism and love of civic duty, and he issued a bench warrant for their arrest.

After listening to various excuses, Recorder Smith delivered a little heart-to-heart talk, and then remarked: "Gentlemen, on account of your failure to perform your duty, I must ask you each to donate $1.50 into the coffers of our beloved city."

With broad grins and much bantering among themselves each of the "culprits" walked up and deposited the amount of his fine.

After the fines had been paid, Recorder Smith said: "Thanks, gentlemen. Go, and sin no more."

PASSENGER BOAT'S TRIAL.

A test run for the purpose of trying her engines was made today of the new passenger vessel City of Long Beach. The engines are said to have performed up to the expectations of the National Manufacturing Company and to the owners of the vessel, the Nelson Navigation Company.

The City of Long Beach is said to be the largest passenger vessel afloat propelled by gas or internal combustion engines. Her measurements are: Lenth, 140 feet; beam, 22 feet; draft, 9 feet; weight, 191 tons net; speed, 15 miles per hour. She is to be licensed to carry 500 passengers. She is twin-screw propelled. Power is furnished by a pair of six-cylinder National gas engines of 500 horse power each. She is lighted by electricity by an auxiliary four-cylinder National engine of sixteen horse power, with a Westinghouse generator (direct) connected to this engine. The power plant is a system of units in which is designed that any disability of any one would not interfere with the performance of duty of any other.

The National Manufacturing Company has its offices in Los Angeles, and has purchased seven and one-half acres at Dolgeville, on which it is proposed to erect a factory. Los Angeles investors are among the backers of the project.

IS PRISONER SILVA?

Man Arrested in Monrovia Has the Appearance of One Wanted for Slaying Delgado.

MONROVIA, Dec. 27.—At noon today Deputy Sheriff Miller and Constable John Thomas picked up a man who answers very minutely to the description of the slayer of Eulogio Delgado, who was killed in Los Angeles on October 6. He has the wart on the side of his neck, the scar on the shin and the cut on the thumb, all corresponding to the description of the much wanted Romaldo Silva.

The man being held claims that he is not the man wanted; that he can prove where he got the scars, and that he is willing to await further action of the officers. The Chief of Police of Los Angeles has been notified of the arrest.

TRIAL SATURDAY MORNING.

An anxious crowd has been hanging around the Pacific Electric depot, anxious to get a look at Delfino Albetra, who was arrested in San Diego Christmas day, charged with the murder of his wife on Sunday morning, September 2. It was not known to the crowd until late afternoon that the hearing had been continued until Saturday morning. Justice Holloway will hear the case. There were several witnesses of the shooting and several who saw Albetra pull his wife from the house by the hair of her head. The preliminary hearing will atract a large crowd.

VOTES AGAINST CONSOLIDATION.

STRAW EXPRESSION AT LONG BEACH MEETING.

Minority Recommendation Presents Arguments of the Claim for Equal Freight Rates With Los Angeles and Economy in Officers, But Ten to One Majority Negatives Report.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 27.—If the straw vote taken at today's mass meeting at the Auditorium is an indication of the feeling in Long Beach regarding consolidation with Los Angeles, that possibility is far removed. The meeting was called to hear the report of the committee appointed several weeks ago to confer with the consolidation committee and secure some statement of fact relative to the benefits to be obtained. The committee, however, after their visit were unable to agree upon any fixed report, and finally determined to call another mass meeting, submit the situation and ask that the committee be discharged.

In response to the call between 400 and 600 citizens gathered at the Auditorium and heard a minority report signed by three of the committee, C. C. Doran, C. H. Hoge and Harry Barndollar, urging consolidation and giving as arguments the claim of a saving in appraising officers, securing the same freight rates and the fact that if Wilmington and San Pedro joined Los Angeles the local harbor might suffer. The fear was also expressed that as the city grew the water supply might be insufficient.

Speeches were made by several, including Dr. L. A. Perce, C. H. Hoge, C. A. Buffum, and then a motion was made that the minority report be accepted. On a rising vote the audience by an overwhelming majority, estimated at ten to one, negatived the report, and on a second motion discharged the committee from further service.

THREE CITIES TALK UNION.

The three committees appointed by the San Pedro, Wilmington and Long Beach Trustees and Chambers of Commerce to consider the matter of a consolidation of the three harbor cities met last night and effected a permanent organization by the selection of Mayor Priestly of Wilmington as chairman, and W. A. Hinshaw as secretary. A subcommittee of three, John Gaffey of San Pedro, City Clerk Wood of Wilmington and James A. Miller of Long Beach, was selected to investigate the laws governing consolidation and submit a report setting forth a possible plan for action. An extended informal discussion was held by the meeting, and it was found that a majority of each committee is in favor of the proposed consolidation of the three harbor cities.

BAD CUT ON HAND.

Bravely holding a handkerchief tightly twisted about his wrist, Forest Harvey, aged 17, walked nearly a block today to get medical assistance for a grievous injury. Young Harvey was running a joining machine at the Star planing mill and catching his hand in the planer, had the fingers of his left hand cut off and his hand sawed through to the knuckles. With blood pouring from his maimed hand, he got out his handkerchief and twisting it about his wrist to stop the hemorrhage, hurried for a doctor. The physician thinks the entire hand will have to be amputated.

SEASHORE POINTS.

Jacob L. Miller, aged 70, a teamster, was hurled high in air last night by an electric car and coming down fell upon one of his horses and escaped, badly shaken up, but no bones broken. Miller was en route to the barn where he is employed and pulled up at American avenue to let a car go by. Then he started across and was struck by another car following close behind. The wagon was wrecked, but Miller was thrown forward and escaped death by alighting on his team.

Joseph Harris, who conducts a riding academy west of town, was riding across the mesa last night, when his horse stepped into a gopher hole and turned a somersault, unhorsing Harris, who fell under the horse. Both bones in his right leg are broken and he is badly bruised. The animal escaped injury.

Elmer Osborn, aged 6, was accidentally struck on the knee today by an ax in the hands of a young man engaged in grubbing out a stump. The ax opened a big gash and entered the joint, an injury which may permanently cripple the child.

C. A. Burgess caught his third jewfish on the outer wharf this morning and became so excited that it was necessary to take him home and summon a physician. The last catch weighs 175 pounds.

Col. G. S. Hord, late of Kentucky and of the Confederate army, yesterday met a G.A.R. veteran at West Long Beach and imbued with Christmas spirit, forgot their difference and took a friendly glass together. The colonel drank too much, however, was arrested and this morning paid a fine of $5 for his revival of old-time memories.

Bids for city printing were submitted to the Trustees last night. The Telegram bid 60 cents for first insertion and 50 for subsequent insertions. The Tribune bid 65 and 50 cents. The Press submitted no bid. All were taken under advisement.

The Alamitos Water Company today received from the East a traction ditch digger which will excavate a trench twenty inches wide and from six inches to five and one-half feet deep. It will be used in extending the company's mains in the Alamitos territory.

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Carpenter in Africa.

The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will contain Frank G. Carpenter's outline of his great journey through Africa. Don't fail to read of the vast store of interesting information he has planned for his readers.

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COMPTON, Dec. 27.—A meeting of the beet growers of this community was held here last night with E. C. Chapin and W. C. Hogaboom representing Michigan investors who propose to put up a sugar factory here.

The projected plant is to represent an expenditure of $1,000,000 and have a daily capacity of 600 to 800 tons of beets. It is to employ from 225 to 300 men. They make a minimum offer of $3.50 per ton for beets, $4.50 for 12 per cent. beets and 33 1-3 cents rise for each additional 1 per cent. test.

This is pronounced an attractive offer for the ranchers, and the 4000 acres which they ask to be guaranteed is likely to be secured without difficulty.

Messrs. F. L. Walton, Mana Mayo, M. P. McDonald, Alva Rice, Clarence Jennings and A. W. Miller were chosen as a committee to represent the ranchers in getting the details of the contract arranged and the necessary acreage secured. It is proposed to have the factory ready for the 1908 crop.

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Terrifying screams of Mrs. James Marrow made unsuccessful the latest attempt of "The Barefoot Burglar" to rob the Hotel Locke at Second and Hill streets, Wednesday night. As the thief disappeared down the stairway alarmed roomers ran from their apartments, but by the time they had learned what had frightened Mrs. Marrow, the burglar had gone.

Mrs. Marrow heard a noise, which sounded as though some one was attempting to try doors in the hallway near her room. Thinking that the person had entered a room, she left her room to secure a pitcher of water. When, upon her return, the woman suddenly came upon a man, sneaking along the hallway.

The frightened woman dropped the pitcher and cried out with fright. When the burglar heard her he turned and ran down the hall and disappeared down the stairs. Mrs. Marrow's description of the man tallied with other descriptions of a barefoot burglar. The incident was reported to the police last night.

Early this week the burglar made another attempt to enter the hotel but was driven away. When discovered he was endeavoring to enter the room of Miss B. Torundy, the proprietress. At the time Miss Torundy was at the Pacific Hospital, but valuable jewelry was in her room.

FRANK G. CARPENTER has just begun a journey of 25,000 miles through Africa. He will describe this journey in his weekly letters to The Los Angeles Times Magazine during the coming year. He has written an outline of his plans for the magazine of the coming Sunday. No one should fail to read it.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

COOL MOTHER SAVES CHILD.

PRESENCE OF MIND DOES IT IN RIVERSIDE.

Little One Plays With Matches in Yard and Her Dress Catches Fire, Throwing Her and Her Sisters Into Panic — Maternal Self-Possession Comes to the Rescue.

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 27.—Prompt action on the part of Mrs. George Baker of No. 262 East Eleventh street saved the life of her three-year-old daughter, Gwendolen. The child was conducting a quiet little experiment with matches in a vacant lot, when the natural consequences followed. Her dress caught fire, and she and another girl who was with her were thrown into a panic. Their screams brought their mother to the scene and, with cool self-possession, she succeeded in smothering the blaze with her hands. The mother and child are severely burned, but they will recover without permanent injury.

CHARTER ABOUT READY.

The freeholders have finished their work of framing a new city charter. The last of the reports were adopted at a meeting last evening and S. C. Evans and W. L. Peters were appointed a committee to give the various sections of the document suitable headings and prepare it for signing by the freeholders at a final meeting Saturday evening. The charter will then be published in the daily papers and submitted to a vote of the people.

LOCALS LOSE.

The Whittier College basketball team won from the local Y.M.C.A. team last evening in a fast exhibition game in Armory Hall. At the end of the second half the score stood 9 to 8 in favor of the Quaker town. The Riverside boys did rather good work in spots, but the Whittier boys outclassed them in team work and this went far toward giving them the game.

ELKS ON DIAMOND.

The baseball team of the Elks lodge of Santa Barbara will play a match game with the nine of the local lodge at Arlanzawa Park on New Year's afternoon, and the event will be made a gala one in lodge and sporting circles, as between sixty and 100 Elks and their friends are expected from Santa Barbara, and in addition there will in all probability be a delegation of Elks from San Bernardino and Redlands to witness the game.

The Santa Barbara party will arrive here early noon and will remain until Saturday morning. In the afternoon an automobile trip will be taken over the scenic boulevard to the summit of Mt. Rubidoux and to other points of interest, and in the evening a social session will be held at the lodge. The game will come off Tuesday afternoon, and as both teams are up to the mark, a fine game is promised. The day's festivities will close with a reception and ball in the evening at the Victoria Club in honor of the visiting Elks and ladies.

SMITH-RICHEY.

Miss Rose Richey and Eugene G. G. Smith were married last evening at a quiet ceremony at the home of the bride on West Ninth street. The decorations throughout were in the Christmas colors, red and green. Many red and green hearts were used, with scarlet geraniums, smilax and ivy. Rev. Mr. Bakin, pastor of Calvary Presbyterian Church, was the officiating clergyman. The wedding music was rendered by Mrs. F. E. Densmore. The bride's gown was of white mull and the flowers were white carnations and maidenhair ferns.

LAD IN DISGRACE.

Ray Norris, an eleven-year-old boy who had fallen into bad company, was brought before the Superior Court this morning on the charge of having assisted in stealing some pigeons and turning one of them to the chef of the Elks Club. He pleaded guilty to petty larceny and was put under probation for six months, with instructions to report once a week during that time to Joseph H. Cornell, who was appointed probation officer by the court.

ORANGE COUNTY NOTES.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—J. Kujawsky of Los Angeles has closed his third deal for valuable land in the swamp district of Orange county. Less than two weeks ago Kujawsky bought the Hunt ranch, and previous to that he had come into possession of the Edmund Snow ranch adjoining. Yesterday a deed was filed transferring 178 acres in the Rancho Las Bolsas to Kujawsky, the deed being executed by James A. Day of Orange. Mortgage on the property to Day for $12,000 note given in connection with the deal.

The meeting of the City Board of Trustees last night Prof. J. A. Cranston was elected Superintendent of schools for four years. Prof. Cranston has been at the head of the city schools for the past year, and succeeded the $1385 bid of A. C. Taylor for the construction of a new high school building.

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YUCAIPE VALLEY SALE.

Large Tract Is to Be Thrown Open to Colonization—Tests of City Electric Plant.

REDLANDS, Dec. 27.—A large transaction in realty has just been consummated here. It is the purchase by direct cash or under contract of almost every acre of tillable land in the Upper Yucaipe Valley by a company of Los Angeles capitalists and is accompanied by the announcement that the valley will be colonized at once. George W. Hopkins of Los Angeles and San Francisco was in Redlands today and made final arrangements for the transfer of the property. The last purchase was that of W. L. Spoor, consisting of 720 acres, being the furthest up the valley and for which the company paid $11 an acre. "But," said Mr. Hopkins, "we did not get all the land on such favorable terms as that. There was a wide range in the prices we had to pay. But we were determined to have the whole tract, as it would be useless to undertake the development and colonization of the property unless we had full control of all the land within the valley. I have been connected with this kind of a proposition before, having been in the real estate business in Northern California for the past eighteen years. We have purchased practically the entire valley with the exception of a few small orchards and vineyards on the slopes of the hills around the tract. There is no orchard in the tract, but every one in the Yucaipe Valley touches our tract at some point.

The land purchased by this new company includes Yucaipe ranch (Dunlap ranch,) 3340 acres; Holton and McNee estate, 5007 acres; Atwood and Newmark purchase, 1860 acres; Clyde lands, 760 acres; Lynn ranch, 480 acres; Spoor ranch, 720 acres; total, 12,667 acres. It will be about two months before the company will be ready to offer the land for colonization as the concern is not yet fully organized.

The plan is to colonize the entire valley, getting most of the colonists from the Middle West. In order that the colonists may be induced to settle there, they must not only become cognizant of the value of the land, but must also have other attractions. The first of these is a convenient town. Redlands will supply this want in a great measure, although the promoters are planning to provide a town in or nearer the valley than this city.

COUNCILMAN RESIGNS.

Santa Barbara Has a Stormy Situation In Its City Government. Bad Blood.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Peter Poole, who is serving his second term as Councilman from the Sixth Ward, tendered his resignation to the Council at a late hour this afternoon.

At the regular Council session two weeks ago Mayor Wood charged the Councilman with being interested in a city contract for bridge work in violation of the charter. Contractor Williamson, who was the lowest bidder for the work, presented a bill for bridge work, and, on suggestion of the Mayor, payment was deferred until the charge of Poole being a party to the contract be investigated.

Today the Mayor brought the attention of the grand jury to the charge. Twenty witnesses were called to testify, but no information was obtainable.

Poole's resignation is a surprise to his friends. At the time the Mayor took office he asked for a day session of the Council, and Poole opposed the measure. Feeling between the two has been bitter since that time.

Except to say that time will tell its story Poole refuses to talk.

FULLERTON RANCH SALE.

FULLERTON, Dec. 27.—R. T. Davies has purchased from Mrs. P. Regan her ten-acre orange grove in the city for $10,000. There is a new residence. The place bears late oranges. This is one of the most valuable orchards in the local orange belt.

Arthur Johnson, who returned to his old home at Laramie, Wyo., a year ago, with a view of remaining, arrived here Wednesday and will again buy a home in Fullerton.

The California Vegetable Union has closed a contract to handle the output of the Olive Cabbage Growers' Association the coming season. Its acreage aggregates over 250. The prices will be fixed from week to week, the same as the past season. The acreage of Fullerton, Placentia, Olive, La Habra and Orangethorpe is estimated at 1000.

ROB POSTOFFICE SAFE.

Looters Take Tools from Blacksmith Shop and Ruthlessly Scatter Christmas Gifts.

GLENDALE, Dec. 27.—A robbery was done at the postoffice here last night. The burglars procured tools from the Lund blacksmith shop and forced an entrance to the office and broke into the office safe with a cold chisel.

From the safe the robbers took $200 in cash and $150 in stamps. Many registered packages and letters, both those in the safe and those which on account of their bulk could not be kept in the safe, were opened. Some of them were rifled in the rear of the postoffice and others were torn open in the blacksmith shop, where their contents were strewn about.

The character of the work done by the robbers aroused much public indignation here. There were many little fancy articles of no great intrinsic value which had been sent through the mails as Christmas gifts. These were ruthlessly scattered.

Following the robbery the looters stole a horse and buggy belonging to Dr. R. E. Chase of Glendale, and took the rig away, it is not known where.

The horse is described as black, sixteen hands high, 10 years old, branded with the letter J on right hind leg, white sock on left hind foot, slight patch of white on right hind foot, long, narrow head, Roman nose, tongue cut by bit, rather gaunt, coat rough, weight about 1100 pounds. The harness is rubber trimmed and the buggy is a steel-tired runabout.

Postoffice Inspector Wilson is investigating.

WED AT GLENDORA.

GLENDORA, Dec. 27.—At the residence of Mrs. Thomas S. McNair this afternoon Miss Mary Stevens McNair became the bride of Nevin Elwell Funk. Rev. Charles F. Richardson officiated. The ceremony was performed in the reception room, where the bay window was appropriately decorated to form a chancel. Only the immediate relatives were present. The couple left this evening for Atlanta, Ga., where the groom is instructor in the Georgia School of Technology. The bride has been prominent socially during her residence in Glendora. She is a member of the Amphion, the valley's musical organization.

GRIEVANCE OF RANCHMAN.

Doesn't Like to Have His Large Place Swallowed by Annexation to Santa Monica.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 27.—The legality of the election by which Santa Monica recently annexed a considerable expanse of territory on the east and southeast may soon be questioned in the Superior Court. As preliminary to a quo warranto proceeding which may be brought, John Charnock of The Palms has just had a transcript made of all official proceedings leading up to and involving the election.

Charnock owns about 400 acres of farm land that was voted into the city when the election was held, and he feels inclined to resist the payment of city taxes on this large farm. The taxes are no small item, while the prospective plaintiff thinks he sees visions of street improvements, etc., yet to come. There is nothing definitely decided, as yet, as to the suit; but if any irregularities are found in the proceedings, upon which a suit might succeed, there is a reasonable assurance that the action will be brought.

MAY INCORPORATE SCHOOL.

A local incorporation is in the process of formation for the purpose of taking over the management and affairs of the Southern California Military Academy. This is the school that was founded here early in the fall, and has been conducted with success during the winter in tents in the city park. The original plans contemplated the occupancy of the Arcadia Hotel, but there may be a change in that plan, inasmuch as the Pacific Improvement Company of San Francisco, the owner of the hotel property, is at this time offering the hotel for sale. The organization of a stock company insures the permanency of the institution, which is making satisfactory growth in attendance.

VISITORS FROM FULLERTON.

A delegation of Fullerton's city officials and citizens paid Santa Monica a visit today. Their purpose in coming was to make an investigation of the oiled streets, garbage incinerator, and other municipal betterments. Among the guests were Mayor Benchley, Marshal Ruddock, Trustee Welton and Messrs. Vanderberg, Richmond, Sayer, Coulter, Dunham, Sitton, Rogers, Krug, DeGrange, Gober and Page.

HIGHEST IN COVINA.

Top Notch Price to Date for Business Property Situated in That Foothill City.

COVINA, Dec. 27.—Fifteen thousand five hundred dollars was paid Thursday by Senator R. F. Buller of Idaho for a corner on Citrus avenue and East College street 71 feet on Citrus and 101 feet on East College, the property of W. D. Ellis and I. C. Fairly. Upon the property are two one-story brick storerooms and a small bake shop, facing on Citrus avenue, the total cost of erection of which did not exceed $4500. This is the highest price that has yet been paid for a business corner in Covina. The property is purchased as an investment.

COVINA CITY NOTES.

Mrs. Catherine M. Broadwell, mother of W. B. Broadwell of this city, died at her home in Ocean Park Wednesday morning. The body was brought here last night for burial.

Miss Minta Bashor and Oscar Smith were united in marriage Christmas at the home of the bride's parents. The wedding was a simple affair, only relatives and the most intimate friends of the young couple being present. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Smith left on a short wedding trip, after which they will make their home in Covina.

Coffee is strength and tea is rest.—Schilling's Best.

Regular Advertising for January 1, "Liners" 1 Cent Per Word.

Advertising copy of every description for insertion in the regular news sheets of the January 1st issue of The Times will be received up to and including the night of December 31st. Regular daily rates will be charged, and the cost of "Want" ads, real estate classified and other "Liners" will be the same as in the regular daily issues—one cent per word.

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Carpenter in Africa.

The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will contain Frank G. Carpenter's outline of his great journey through Africa. Don't fail to read of the vast store of interesting information he has planned for his readers.

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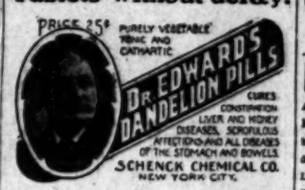

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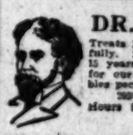

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	30	26	28	New York	38	28	32
Washington	38	30	34	Buffalo	34	28	30
Pittsburgh	32	30	31	Cincinnati	38	30	34
Chicago	28	24	26	St. Paul	40	6	23
St. Louis	42	36	39	Kansas City	50	34	42
Los Angeles	67	55	61	Jacksonville	**		

*The maximum is for day before yesterday; the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.
**No report. Wires down.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 27. [Reported by A. B. Wollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the thermometer registered 56 deg.; at 5 p.m., 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 96 per cent.; 5 p.m., 94 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., southeast, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 55 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, 0.27 inch; rainfall for season, 4.30 inches. Last season to date, 3.11 inches.

Weather Conditions—Unsettled, rainy weather has prevailed during the last twenty-four hours throughout California and the Southwest generally, while snow is reported in portions of the Pacific Northwest and along the lower lakes. Rain is also reported in the Ohio Valley, Missouri and Nebraska. Elsewhere no precipitation of consequence has occurred. The conditions on the Pacific Slope will continue unsettled during the next thirty-six hours, and cloudy weather possibly with an occasional shower tonight may be looked for in Los Angeles and vicinity. No important change in temperature is indicated.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Unsettled, possibly with showers tonight; Friday cloudy; variable winds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Rainfall data:

	Past 24 hours.	Seasonal.	Normal.
Red Bluff	.04	9.24	8.99
Sacramento	.12	8.20	7.19
Fresno	.12	2.34	2.19
San Luis Obispo	.12	6.72	7.07
San Diego	.11	2.28	2.28

The pressure has risen slowly over the Pacific Coast and conditions are becoming more favorable for settled, fair weather. Showers have occurred from San Francisco southward but there has been no heavy rain in the State during the past twenty-four hours. Forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Friday; light south winds, changing to north.

Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys: Cloudy Friday; light north winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Friday, possibly light showers; light south winds changing to north.

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey.] Gauge height Colorado River, 18.5 feet.

Arizona: Occasional showers Friday and Saturday.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Dec. 28, 1906.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,457,160.21. For the corresponding day of 1905, $1,413,781.86; for the same day of 1904, $1,196,182.58.

Monday	$ 2,185,811.70
Tuesday	Holiday.
Wednesday	2,114,450.04
Thursday	1,457,160.21
Total	$ 5,757,421.95
Same time, 1905	4,962,816.43
Same time, 1904	3,878,916.02

Following are the quotations and sales made yesterday on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange:

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	....	.85
Associated Oil	46.62	49.50
Central	1.12	1.13½
Columbia	.30¼	.45
Continental	.16½	.20
Fullerton Con.	1.00	....
Fullerton Oil	.68	.78
Globe	.20	....
Home (Whittier)	.9	1.40
Mexican Petroleum	1.30	1.35
Olinda Land Co.	.15½	.20
Piru Oil & Land Co.	.06	....
Reed Crude	.16½	.21
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.20	1.50
Union	200.50	207.50
Union Provident Co.	197.00	....
United Petroleum	225.00	....
Western Union	205.00	210.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	118.50	....
Bank of Los Angeles	175.00	....
Bank of So. Cal.	110.00	....
Broadway Bank & Trust	155.00	....
Cal. Savings Bank	120.00	....
Capital ($160,000 paid up.)		
Central	240.00	....
Citizens' National	237.50	....
Commercial National	18..00	178.00
Dollar Savings Bank	140.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	275.00	....
Federal Bank of L. A.	12.50	....
First National	....	430.00
German-American Sav.	....	325.00
Globe Savings Bank	102.00	105.00
$120,000 paid up.		
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	131.50	....
Los Angeles Trust Co.	....	125.00
Manhattan Sav. Bank	125.00	....
Merchants' National	440.00	....
Merchants' Trust Co.	....	90.00
Nat'l Bank of Cal.	180.00	....
Nat'l Bank of Com.	129.00	....
Security Savings Bank	250.00	....
State Bank & Trust	88.00	90.00
The Southern Trust Co.	110.00	....
U. S. National Bank	183.00	....

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	89½	95
Cal. Pac. Ry.	99	101
Corona City Water Co.	93½	....
Corona Power & W. Co.	....	90
Cucamonga Water Co.	....	100
The Ed. Elec. Co. 1st R.	101¼	....
Edison Elec. Co., old issue.	102	....
Home Telephone Co.	92	95½
Home Tel. Co. 1st ref.	80½	84
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge.	100	....
L. A. Stove Co.	99	....
L. A. Traction Co. 6s.	100	....
L. A. Traction Co. 5s.	99	....
L. A. Electric Co.	90	....
L. A. Railway Co.	117	....
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	95½	....
Mt. Lowe Railway	88	90
Pacific Light & P. Co.	98	100
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	110	....
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	....	97
Pomona Con. Water Co.	....	100
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	73½
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co.	....	85
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	76	....
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	98
Temescal Water Co.	....	95
United Electric G. & P. Co.	100¾	....
Union Transportation Co.	....	97
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	83	87½
Visalia Water Co.	....	94
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	....	95

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	65.00
Cal. Hospital	90.00	....
Edison Electric pfd.	89.50	....
Emergency Hospital	10.00	....
Edison Electric com.	61.00	....
Home Telephone pfd.	65.00	67.00
Home Telephone com.	24.00	26.00
Los Angeles Brewing Co.	....	130.00
L. A. Jockey Club	90.00	....
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	195.00	....
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	32.00	33.00
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	40.00
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co.	12.00	17.50
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	38.50
Sun Drug Co.	....	1.00
Seaside Water Co.	....	140.00
Title G. & Trust—pfd.	175.00	....
Title I. & Trust Co. pfd.	140.00	....
Title I. & Trust Co. com.	140.00	....
Title I. & Trust Ser. C.	140.00	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. pfd.	46.00	50.00
Union Title & Trust Co.	....	50.50

OFFICIAL SALES. 20 Pasadena Home at 32; 100 Home common 25; 1150 Central Oil at 1.10@1.12½; 2000 Mexican Petroleum at 1.35; 5 Home preferred at 64.50.

MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
California—Greenwater District.		
Clark Copper Co.	.51	.60
Furnace Creek Ex. Cop.	....	1.04⅝
Greenwater California	.48½	....
California—		
Cal. Hills M. Co.	.07⅝	.07¾
Ricoro Gold Mines Co.	.11	.12½
Nevada—Tonopah District.		
Belmont	5.25	6.00
Nevada—(Johnnie District) Nye county.		
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co.	.18½	.19⅝
Goldfield District—		
Goldfield Con. Mines	6.00	....
Nevada—Searchlight District.		
Eldorado Can. M. & M. Co	.02⅞	.03¼
Gold Coin	.25	....
New Era	.02	.03¼
Nevada Searchlight	.07½	....
Quartette	14.00	....
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	....	.30¼
Searchlight Parallel	.07	.07½
Searchlight Western	.07½	....
Arizona—		
Hecla Con. Mines Co.	....	4.25

OFFICIAL SALES—12,000 Eldorado Canyon at 2⅝@3¼; 2000 Nevada Searchlight at 6⅝@7½; 7000 Johnnie Consolidated at 18⅛@18⅝; 1000 California Hills at 7½; 5000 do at 8, buyer 30; 1000 Clark Copper at 61, buyer 30.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The produce market continued dull and featureless yesterday, the expected lull immediately after the heavy Christmas traffic. Prices were well maintained all along the line, practically no changes being made.

Lower prices on eggs are not expected as long as the inclement weather continues. Bright, sunny weather will increase the supply of ranch eggs, and drops will undoubtedly occur. Thirty-seven and one-half cents was asked for local case count eggs yesterday on 'change, but no bids were made.

Butter holds well at the present prices.

Arrivals of potatoes yesterday were heavier than on the two previous days. Receipts for the day were 2687 sacks. Local potato dealers who are bringing the eastern product to this market, state that it costs them between 1.40@1.55 to lay them down in this market, and that they have to ask 1.50@1.60 for all stocks shipped here from the East. River potatoes have ceased to cut a figure on the local market, now that they are worth more in the North than they are here. Eastern potatoes are of better quality than local. The crop in the East is unusually large this season, and prices are reasonable. There is little likelihood of any early advance in prices here. Several carloads of eastern potatoes are due today.

The reported weakness on onions is only on the inferior grades. The damp weather has caused onions to sprout, and quantities of poor onions have been thrust on the market. Fancy selected stocks hold strong.

Little business was done on the vegetable market yesterday on account of the shortage of supplies. Strawberries are firm at 10@20; tomatoes have advanced to 50@60; peas were firmer at 10 flat; Bell peppers are steady at 20@25.

Fish, lobsters and wild game were scarce.

Live turkeys sell at 23c per pound, and dressed turkeys bring 26c per pound.

The receipts of produce as reported for yesterday's exchange were as follows: Eggs, 142 cases; butter, 17,726 lbs.; cheese, local, none; potatoes, 2687 sacks; onions, 350 sacks; beans, none; sweet potatoes, none.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, fresh California ranch, 40; strictly fresh eastern eggs, 36; eastern storage, selected, 28; northern candled, 36.

BUTTER—Fancy local butter, 2-lb. sq., 77½; Lucerne butter, 77½; valley creamery, 75@77½; fancy Coast creamery, 70@72½; choice Coast creamery, 60@65; ladles, 30; cooking butter, 22@24.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 17; Cal. Y. A., 17; fresh, 16; eastern daisies, 17@17½; Longhorns, 17@17½; N. Y. twins, 16@16½; singles, 16½@17; northern, local, 17; Oregon brick cheese, 17; hand, 19; Dom. Swiss, 20; Imp., 28@29; Limburger, 16; cheddars, 16@16½.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 2.90@3.00; Pinks, No. 2, 1.90; Lady Washington, No. 1, 2.90@3.00; small white, No. 1, 3.60@3.75; small white, No. 2, 3.00@3.25; black eyes, 3.75@4.00; Limas, No. 1, 5.00; Garvanzas, 4.25@4.50; German lentils, 2.50; American lentils, 3@10 lb.

DRIED FRUITS — Apples, evaporated, new, per lb.; fancy 50s, 9; fancy 25s, 9½@10; apricots, "Santa Ysabel" brand, extra fancy, 25s, 17; extra choice, 15; in 1-lb. cartons, 2 per lb. extra; citron, imported, "American Flag" brand, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 20; currants, imported, "Santa Ysabel" brand, fancy, bulk recleaned, 8½; 50 16-oz. packages, 9; 50 12-oz. packages, 8; dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 60 lbs., 9; Golden dates, 60 lbs., 6; special price in quantities; figs, new, per box, Calimyrna Red Seal, 10-1s, 1.15; Calimyrna Red Seal, 20-¼s, 1.25; white, choice 50-lb. boxes, per lb., 7; peaches, "Santa Ysabel" brand, per lb., fancy, unpeeled, 25s, 12½; extra choice, unpeeled, 25s, 11½; choice, unpeeled, 50s, 11; fancy, peeled, 25s, 20; in 1-lb. cartons, 2c extra; pears, "Santa Ysabel" brand, fancy, halves, 25s, 13; in 1 or 2-lb. cartons, 2c extra; peels, imported, orange or lemon, 10s, 14; plums, fancy pitted, 25s, 11; prunes, fancy, San Jose "Imperials," per lb., 30-40, 25s, 10; 40-50, 25s, 8½; 50-60, 25s, 7½; prunes, fancy San Jose "Imperials," per lb., 90-100, 50s, 5; Silver, fancy, 25s, 10; Silver, choice, 25s, 9½; in 10-lb. boxes 1c extra, 5-lb. boxes 2c extra; raisins, per box, Clusters, 4-crown, 20s, 2.25; loose Muscatels, per lb., 2-crown, 6; seedless Sultanas, 8@8½; seeded, Eagle, fancy, 36-1s, per package, 7@7½; seedless Muscatels, 7; Snaatas, fancy, 7.

HONEY—Comb, 24 1s to a box: White, per comb, 10; light amber, 12@13. Extracted; 2 5-gal. cans to case, 60 lbs. to can; Water white, per lb., 7@7½; white, per lb., 6¼@7; light amber, per lb., 6@6½; white, 12 1-gal. to case, per case, 6.00; white, 24 ½-gal. to case, 7.50; glass, white, 24 ¼-gal. to case, 7.50; glass, 24 1s to 24 1s to case, comb in, 5.00.

NUTS—New almonds, fancy IXL, 18@20; almonds, fancy paper-shell, 17; almonds, choice Brazils, large, new crop, 16@17; filberts, large, new crop, 14; pecans, jumbo, 16@17; pecans, large, 15; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," raw, 7; roasted, 8½; Cal. "runsnine," raw, 6½; Cal. "Sunshine," roasted, 8½; Japs, fancy, raw, 6; Japs, fancy, roasted, 8; walnuts, No. 1, softshell, 14@15; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 10@12; coconuts, per dozen, 85.

FRESH FRUITS—Fancy Jonathan apples, 2.25@2.50; fancy Colorado Winesaps, 2.25@2.50; California Louvre apples, 4 tier, 1.10@1.20; Fall Pippin, 90@1.00; fancy Bellefleurs, 4 tier, 1.25@1.40; choice Bellefleurs, 4½ tier, 1.15@1.25; 1.50; choice Bellefleurs, 4½ tier, 1.15@1.25; Alexanders, 75@85; fancy Colorado Ganos, 1.65@1.75; California Ben Davis, 4 tier, 1.10@1.20; Ben Davis, 4½ tier, 80@90; Yellow Newtown Pippin, 4 tier, 1.50; Casaba melons, 2.50 per crate; Black Morocco grapes, 8 per lb.; Malagas, 10 per lb.; small Tokays, 6 per lb.; Black Prince, 1.50 per box; Winter Nellis, 1.50@1.75 per box; guavas, 6@7 per crate; Japanese persimmons, 5@7 per lb.; pineapples, 5.75 per crate.

CITRUS FRUITS—Standard lemons, 2.50; loose, 2.00; packed lemons, 3.00; choice lemons, 2.00@3.25; loose, 2.50; fancy lemons, 4.00; bananas, 4@4½ per lb.; navels, 3.25@3.50; small navel oranges, 2.00@2.50; grapefruit, seedlings, 2.50; Tangerines, 2.00 per box.

BERRIES—Strawberries, Moneta, 10@20; Gardena, 10@20; Irwindale, 10@20; Tropicos, 10@20; Montebellos, 10@20; cranberries, 12.00.

ONIONS—Northern Yellow Danver onions, 1.25; local Yellow Danvers, 1.25@1.50; Australian Brown onions, local, 1.25.

POTATOES—Highland, 1.75; new local Burbanks, 1.50@1.65; yellow sweet potatoes, 2.00 per sack; Salinas, 1.75@2.00; Oregon potatoes, 2.00 per cwt.; Watsonville potatoes, 1.65@1.90; Nevada Potatoes, 2.00; Idaho Rurales, 1.65; Colorado potatoes, 1.85; Minnesota Early Rose, 1.65.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 30; carrots, 30; parsley, 50@75 crate; string beans, 10@11; wax, 10@11; turnips, 30; peas, 10; red radishes, 15@25 doz.; cabbage, 1.25; fancy green onions, 25 per doz.; Chile peppers, 3@4; bell peppers, 20@25; lettuce, 1.25 per crate; garlic, 6; parsnips, 25@50 doz.; tomatoes, 50@60 per box; hothouse cucumbers, 2.25 per lug box; eggplant, 12 per lb.; lima beans, 12 per lb.; pie pumpkins, 1¼ per lb.; rhubarb, 6@7 per lb.; celery, 35@60; artichokes, 50@1.45 per doz.; sprouts, 6@8 per lb.; cauliflower, 50@60 per doz.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents, A1 flour, per bbl., 4.60; Globe flour, 4.75; Select California white wheat; Banquet flour, per bbl., 4.60; Towel flour, 4.40; Silver Star flour, 4.20; XXX flour, 4.60; Capitol flour, 4.60; A-1 hard flour, 4.75; Aurora, 4.20; Mikado, 3.80; Trophy, 3.80; New flour, 4.60; Mayflower, 4.40; Eclipse, 4.90; buckwheat flour, 100 bbl., 3.00; Souvenir towel sacks, 4.30. Eighth-bbls., 10c per bbl. higher.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Crown flour, 4.85; Cream Loaf first patent, Kansas, 4.85; Electric Light, first patent, Dakota, 5.40; Powerful, second patent, 5.25; Rock River rye, 5.00; Kansas whole wheat and graham, 4.85.

BAKERS' FLOUR—Globe flour, per bbl., 4.75; eastern graham, 4.50; eastern whole wheat flour, 4.60. Blended wheat flours: Bakers' A1 flour, per bbl., 4.50; bakers' Magnolia flour, 4.30; Comet flour, 4.30; eastern rye, 5.00; Capitol bakers' flour, 4.70; Capitol extra bakers' flour, 4.50; Our Giant, 4.30.

WHEAT—

Whole wheat flour	....	2.40	2.35	2.30
Cracked wheat	$3.00	2.40	2.35	2.30
Farina	3.60	3.40	3.35	3.30

CEREAL GOODS.

Per 100—	5 lbs.	10 lbs.	25 lbs.	50 lbs.
A1 flour	....	$2.60	....	....
Banquet flour	....	2.60	....	....
Pastry flour	....	2.40	....	....
Graham flour	....	2.20	2.15	2.10
Whole wheat flour	....	2.20	2.15	2.10
Corn meal, W. & Y.	....	2.40	2.35	2.30
Rye flour	....	2.75	2.70	2.65
Cracked wheat	$3.00	2.20	2.15	2.10
Farina	....	3.20	3.15	3.10
Wheat flakes, per sack of 50 lbs.				1.90
Wheat flakes, per bbl. of 25 lbs., net				3.70

GRAIN AND FEED — Miller's prices to dealers: Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.60; Wheat, No. 1, 1.45; wheat, No. 2, 1.45; wheat, cracked, 1.55; wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 1.65; corn, 1.40; corn, Sm. Y., 1.50; cracked corn, 1.45; feed meal, 1.50; bran, heavy, 1.30; rolled barley, 1.50; oil cake meal, 2.30; cotton-seed meal, 1.20; oil cake meal, 1.55; shorts, 1.45; oats, white Oregon, 1.65; oats, red California, 1.40; Texas grown red seed oats, 1.80; eastern Kafir corn, 1.40; seed rye, 1.55; small yellow corn, 1.45.

FLOUR—	In Boxes.	5-lb. S'ks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50 lb. S'ks.
Perf. Pat. Pastry	....	$2.40	....	....	....
Buckwheat flour	....	3.40	3.35	3.30	3.25
Graham flour	....	....	2.15	2.10	2.05
Rye flour or meal	....	....	2.75	2.70	2.65
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	....	....	2.35	2.30	2.25
Oatmeal, ground	....	4.40	4.35	4.30	4.25
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	....	4.30	4.15	4.10	4.00
Hominy, large or					

small	....	3.70	3.50	3.45	3.40
Cracked wheat	....	3.40	3.30	3.25	3.20
Entire wheat flour	....	3.30	3.25	3.20
Pearl barley	$5.05	5.00	4.80	4.75	4.70
Split peas, green	5.80	6.65	6.50	5.45	6.40
Split peas, yellow	5.25	5.20	5.00	4.95	4.90
Gluten flour	....	3.60	3.40	3.35	3.30
Farina	....	3.40	3.30	3.25	3.20
Nutrina Germ	3.50	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50
Rolled wheat in bbls., net weight 125 case					3.75
lbs. per sack					3.30

Buckwheat flour (bulk, seamless sacks.)

	10.	25.	50.	100.
Buckwheat Chick Food	$3.35	$3.30	$3.25	$3.00
" Fattening Food	3.35	3.30	3.25	3.00
" Egg Food	.55	....	....	1.85
" Moulting Food	....	....	....	4.85

" Chick Food, 20 5-lb. pkgs., per

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Bbls. 10c; ½-bbls. 25c; boxes, 50c; 50-lb. sacks, 10c cwt. higher; 25 & C. crystal Dominoes, per 100-lb. bags, 3.50; cubes "A," crushed and fine crushed, 5.70; standard powdered, 5.55; western cane and fruit granulated, 5.00; western confectioners' "A," 5.45; candy granulated, 5.15; Magnolia, "A," 4.65; extra H confectioners' "A," 5.00; best granulated, "B," 4.55; extra "C," 4.55; Golden "C," 4.45; D, sugar, 4.75.

SALT—Bales, all sizes, 1.20; Dairy, 50s, per ton, 9.50; rock, 50s, per ton, 9.25; 40 2-lb. cartons, per case, 1.25; 20 5-lb. cartons, per case, ...

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 14.00@16.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; No. 1, wheat hay, 14.00@16.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 16.00@20.00; No. 2, 14.00@16.00; northern alfalfa, 12.00; local, 13.00@15.00.

CHILES—Evaporated storage, 12½@15; bulk, 12½@15; ground, 12½; Mexican black, 12½@15; green chiles, 4.

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, eastern, per lb., 4.

CORN HUSKS—Fancy cut, Bales, 50-lb. average to bale, per lb., 8; bales, 50-lb. average, uncut, per lb., 7.

POULTRY—Dealers pay for live weight stock—Old roosters, 8; young roosters, 16; old toms, 16; young toms, 17; hen turkeys, 15; squabs, 2.50 doz.; hens, per lb., 14; ducks, 12; turkeys, 18@19; geese, 12; fryers, 20; broilers, 18. Selling price to retail trade, per lb., dressed: Live old roosters, 8; young roosters, 20; fryers, 20; broilers, 22; turkeys, 26; hens, 20; old toms, 20; young toms, 22; hen turkeys, 25; ducks, 18; geese, 18 lb.; squabs, 3.00 per doz.

BEEF—Steers, No. 1, per lb., 6½; second, 6¼; third, 5¾@6; prime, 7; heifers, 6; veal, 10; hind quarters, 7½; fore quarters, 6; loins of beef, No. 1, 8½; ribs of beef, No. 1, 8½; beef tenderloins, 20; chucks, 4½; square chucks, 3½; plates, 3½; round and rumps, 6½; shoulder clods, 10; beef shanks, 3; flank rumps, 5; flank steaks, 11; beef rolls, 10; boned beef trimming, 5; beef tongues, 12; S. P. beef tongues, 14; oxtails, 3; lambs' tongues, per dozen, 30; beef hearts, each, 10; beef livers, each, 20; kidney suet, per lb., 5½; kidneys, each, 2; sweetbreads, 25; brains, 10.

MUTTON — Dressed muttons, ewes, per lb., 10; dressed mutton wether, 10½; dressed mutton yearlings, 11; fall lambs, 11; milk lambs, 11½; sheep, 2.00@4.00.

PORK—Dressed hogs, per lb., 10; trimmed hogs, 12½; pork loins, 12½; frozen pork spare ribs, 5; fresh picnics, 9; pork shoulders, 9; pork butts, 11; fresh hams, 13; bellies, fresh, 13½; leaf lard, 11; pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 6; fresh pork spare ribs, 8; pork tenderloins, 20; back fat, 9; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 3½; tongues (sweet, pickled or fresh,) 23; cleaned hogs' head, per lb., 5½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog plucks, each, 5; pork kidneys, per dozen, 25; pig tails, per lb., 6; back bones per lb., 6½.

BACON—10-lb. bacon, 16@18½; Winchester bacon, 17@18½; 3 Ave., 17½; Empire, 19; 49'er, 16@17; Premium, 21½; Gold Band, 20½; Diamond C bacon, 21½; Helmet bacon, 16½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14½; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 19½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 6-10 avg., 17½; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 19; Regal bacon, 17½; Helmet bacon, 6-10 avg., 18½; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 19½; White Label bacon, 19½; Star bacon, 22.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 17½; Rex skinned hams, 16½; Diamond C, 17¼; Diamond C skinned hams, 17½; boiled boneless Rex hams, 23; Mild-cured hams, 16½; plain hams, 15½; Winchester, 11½; Premium, 16½; Gold Band, 18; Mild-cured hams, 17; plain hams, 15½; Winchester picnics, 13; California hams, 11½; Premium skinned hams, 17; 14 Ave. hams, 14½@15; 12 Ave. hams, 15@15½; Orange Blossom, 13½; fresh hams, 12½; fresh picnic hams, 9½; Ashland hams, 15½; minced ham, 12; Cylinder boiled hams, 21½; Premium boiled hams, 23 1-2; Oxford boiled hams, 17½; Star hams, 18; Helmet hams, 17 1-2; Star skinned hams, 17½; Armour's boiled hams, 22; boiled boneless hams, 21; Armour picnic hams, 11½; Regal hams, 17½.

DRY SALTED MEATS—Dry salt narrow bellies, 12½; dry salt clear bellies, 16-20 avg., 12½; dry salt clear backs, 12; short clear backs, 12; D. S. bellies 16-18 avg., 13½.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey comb tripe, half-bbls., 2.60; honey comb tripe, keg, 1.85; honey comb tripe, kits, 95; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 4.80; spiced pigs' feet, keg, 2.60; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in,) bbls., 10.00; half-bbls., 5.50; rumps (bone out,) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 9.00; half-bbls., 5.00; rolled plate (boneless,) bbls., 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork bbls., 14.25; half-bbls., 7.25; family pork, bbls., 22.00; half-bbls., 11.50; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 23.00; half-bbls., 12.00; fancy pig pork (wide,) bbls., 24.00; half-bbls., 12.50; S. P. spare ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.25.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, per lb., 7; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 6½; blood sausage, 7; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage links and bulk, 12; head cheese, 3½; fresh pork sausage, links, 8; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 8; Spanish pork sausage, 9; Wiener sausage, 7; Frankfurt sausage, 9; New England ham sausage, 12; boiled cottage ham, 12; boiled boneless Rex ham, 23; boiled boneless Rex ham, smoked, 23; minced sausage in sacks, 12; Douglas style, sausage in sacks, 12.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per lb., 8¾; cases, 7 101b. cans, 9½; cases, 12 5-lb. cans, 9⅝; cases, 20 3-lb. cans, 9¾; leaf lard, 11; Rex lard, 11⅞; Premium lard, 12¾; Silver Leaf lard, 11⅝; Jewel Compound, 7⅝; Compound lard, 6⅞; back fat, 9½; Cotosuet, 8½; Mission lard, 11½; Shield lard, 17½; Star lard, 12⅝; Armour's Compound lard, 8 1-2; Diamond C kettle lard, 12½; White Ribbon, 9; basis Suetene, 8; vegetable lard, 10½.

LOCAL STOCK MARKET.

STAGNANT conditions continue to prevail on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, due mainly to the holiday season.

Business was best Thursday among the miscellaneous stocks, with Home common, the market leader in both the number of shares sold, and strength apparent. The sales amounted to 100 shares at 25. The stock closed with 24 bid and 26 asked, a gain of ½ point on the bid, and 1 on the asked of the preceding day. The stock opened the day with a weak bid of 20, and an offering at 25. Interest was apparently very strong in the security, as the bidding was lively, and raised the offered price to 23, and then 24 and 25, at which point the sale was made. The transaction was in one block of 100 shares. No bidding was heard for futures of any kind. The preferred stock of the same company was in fair demand, but the holders evidently considered it worth more than 65, the highest price offered, and odd lots were the only sellers, six shares changing hands at 64.50 and at 65. Large lots of 100 shares were in demand, the prices offered reaching high at 65. Low offering was at 66.75, which later was withdrawn, the stock closing at 65@67. Bidding for futures was confined to buyer thirties, the prices ranging from 65@66.50.

Pasadena Home was also an active stock among the miscellaneous securities, twenty shares changing hands at 32, Wednesday's closing bid. The stock was offered down from 37, with the best bid at 32, the holder finally taking up the bidder's offer. One buy-and-sell proposition was worked in nicely on a ten-share lot. The stock closed with 32 bid, with an offering one point higher, at 33. An effort was made to dispose of 200 shares of Union Trust and Title stock, the holder offering it down to 51 for the lot. No taker appeared, and the stock was offered at 50.50, in regular board lots, with no bidding for it. Edison common lost 1½ points on the bid, closing with no transactions at 61, with none offered. Other stocks in this particular list were inactive.

Oil stocks were next in importance Thursday, with Mexican Petroleum showing the most transactions, 2000 shares changing hands at 1.35. The stock opened with a bid at 1.30, four points above the closing at 1.26 on Wednesday. The stock was offered at 1.35, never going below that point, and the bidder, after raising his offer to 31, took the stock. No bidding was heard for futures of any kind, with the exception of sixty-day puts, which were wanted at 25 to 20. Buyer thirties were offered at 1.37, and the ninety-day contracts were offered at 1.45. The stock closed at 1.30@1.35.

Central Oil was the only other trader, 1190 shares being traded in at 1.10@1.12½. The stock closed with a distinct gain apparent in the bid at 1.12@1.13½. Bidding for futures while rather slack, was strong, offerings ranging from 1.12 to 1.13 for the thirty day contracts, with 1.15 offered on the sixty day contracts. As high as 1.19 was offered for the thirty day options, but the stock was not offered under any conditions except cash and no other sales resulted.

Associated Oil suffered a loss of 1⅜ points on the bid and shows a gain of ⅜ on the asked of the previous day. With the exception of one option at sixty days at 51 no sales were made. For the buyer thirty contracts the range on the bids was from 47 to 48 with no stock offered. Thirty day calls were bid for at 48@50 with the offering receding from 52 to 50½. The sixty day options were bid for at 51 and were held at 53@52½. Union, while no trading was carried on, shows a gain of 3½ points on the bid—the stock closing at 200.50 with the holding price at 207.50, which is several points higher than it was before the holiday season. The only bidding for futures was for calls at sixty days, which were wanted at 210 with no stock for sale. The first live bid on United Petroleum heard for many weeks was made Thursday, the price offered ranging from 310 to 330 with no stock on the floor. Fullerton Consolidated was still in demand at par bid, with none offered. Rich Ranch Oil was bid up to 1.20 and offered at 1.50 with no trading. Ninety day calls were in demand at 1.25@1.45 with the asked at 1.70@1.55. Columbia Oil shows an advance of 5⅛ points on the previous day's quotation, closing with a bid of 30¼ and an offering at 45. Continental Oil closed at 16½ bid and 20 asked with no sales recorded.

Citizens National shows the only gain of the day in the banking securities, being bid up from 235 to 237.50. No stock was to be had. Bidding for futures on Merchants Trust Company ranged from 97 to 101 for the thirty day options, with none offered. The stock closed without a quotation. State Bank and Trust lost point on both the bid and asked closing at 88 at 90, with no sales. Bonds were quiet.

DULL THERE, TOO.

The same conditions prevailing during the early call of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange were apparent on the mining call. Little business was carried on and what was done was mostly among the cheapest stocks listed. Transactions amounted to 29,000 shares and the total money involved in the trade amounted to about 4250.

Eldorado Cañon was again the market leader in point of actual sales made, 12,000 of the stuff being dumped in at 2⅝@3¼, the stock closing with those same prices bid and asked.

Johnnie Consolidated was fairly strong, the sales sheet showing transactions amounting to 7000 shares at 18⅛@18⅝, the same prices which ruled Wednesday. The stock opened with a very weak bid at 6 and an asked price at 20. The bidding became slightly stronger and the sales followed. No attention was paid any future trading in this stock and the closing quotations were 18½@18⅝.

California Hills was traded in to the extent of 6000 shares, 1000 shares at immediate cash delivery at 7½ and a block of 5000 at 8, buyer thirty. The close found the stock with a fractional gain on the bid at 7⅝@7¾. Nevada Searchlight was traded in to 2000 shares, the price being at 6⅝@7½, which is slightly in advance of the prices prevailing Wednesday. The stock closed with a gain of 1¼ points on the bid at 7½, with none offered.

One sale of 1000 shares of Clark Copper at 61, buyer thirty days, is also recorded. The stock suffered a further decline to 51 bid and 60 asked. Thirty-day buyer contracts were on the market at 65@61 with no bidding. The ninety-day variety were offered at 65@69, with the bidding ranging from 50 to 58. Other mining stocks were dead, many of them closing without a quotation posted.

J. B. Neville, vice-president of the local stock exchange, announced that the only action to be taken at the annual meeting called for New Year's Day, will be to postpone for one month, when the yearly election, and other business, will be attended to.

DAILY CITRUS REPORT OF EASTERN MARKETS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The market is very strong. Navels, 96s to 150s, in strong demand. Small sizes doing better. Lemons strictly free from frost, sell to good advantage. The weather is favorable. Six cars of navels, one of seedlings, two of lemons, and one of Arizona navels sold here today. Arizona navels, half boxes, 2.75.

NAVELS.

96s, 126s, 150s, 176s, 200s.	Average.
Gavilan, fy, F. H. Speich, Riverside	$3.40
Noname, ?, J. E. Schram	2.70
Thistle, ?, Highland O. G. A.	2.25
Fayette, fy, Penn. Fruit Company, Riverside	2.85
Wolf, sd, Penn. Fruit Company, Riverside	2.85
Mariposa, fy, CCU Dist., No. 18	3.05
Hollyreath, fy, CCU Dist., No. 18, Riverside	2.75
Highlander, xf, Highland F. G. Ex.	3.00
Seedlings	2.00

LEMONS.

Limoniera, xf, Limoniera Co., Santa Paula	$3.25
Lomas, ch, Limoniera Co., Santa Paula	2.60
Whittier, ST Fruit Exchange, Whittier	2.20
Pico, sd, ST Fruit Exchange, Whittier	2.40

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

There were 49 cars of oranges and 4 cars of lemons shipped from Southern California yesterday, making a total to date this season of 1478 cars, of which 340 cars were lemons. Total to date last season, 3121 cars, of which 526 were lemons.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The supply of stocks offering on the market today was scanty, and the demand, though not notably large, was sufficient to lift prices. Where the buying was in any considerable volume or at all urgent, the advance in prices was fairly buoyant. The absence of any pressure to sell the stocks was the most distinct characteristic of the day's market, and it was this that gave it the dull and strong tone. In spite of the near approach of the January settlements and a higher range for call loans than was secured yesterday, there was no sign of necessitous liquidation. Borrowers were able apparently to secure facilities at the rates asked, and were willing to pay them, and there was no forcing of holdings on the market. The resumption of trading in the London stock market after the holidays seemed to be in favor of higher prices for Americans, as considerable advances were scored there before trading began here. The responsive opening here was followed by considerable selling to realize and a setback in prices resulted. The rebound in the Hill stocks removed one of the influential factors in causing the recent depression in the market. All of the transcontinental railroads were strongly bought. There also was a decided upward movement in Reading. There was a growth of confidence in the money outlook. Today was the final for the payment of the $30,000,000 subscriptions to New York Central stock. It is believed that this sum, when paid to the treasury of the railroad, will become available for temporary use in the money market. A feature of the day was the decline in the open-market discount rate in London, notwithstanding a weak return both by the Bank of England, the Bank of France and the Imperial Bank of England, the Bank of France and the Imperial Bank of Gemany. A further decline in foreign exchange also broadened the profit now admitted to exist on engagements of gold in London for import. Local bankers continued to maintain the opinion that no inward gold movement was immediately imminent. The strong advance in Great Northern preferred, Northern Pacific and St. Paul was accompanied by declines in the subscription rights to these stocks. Whatever sources or the motives of the day's demands, its presence was unmistakable and was well-sustained. A late reaction due to profit-taking on the day's rise was followed by a strong closing. Bonds were irregular; total sales, par value $1,486,000. United States new 4s registered, declined 1-4 per cent. on call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing bid.
Adams Express	....	....	....	290
Amalg. Copper	63,900	114⅝	113⅝	114⅛
Am. Car & Foundry	1,900	42⅝	42	42⅛
Am. Car & F. pfd.	....	....	....	100½
Am. Cotton Oil	....	....	....	31¼
Am. Cotton Oil pfd.	....	....	....	88
Am. Express	....	....	....	235
Am. Hide & L. pfd.	....	....	....	37
American Ice	4,900	91⅜	90⅛	91¼
Am. Linseed Oil	....	....	....	14½
Am. Linseed Oil pfd.	....	....	....	35
Am. Locomotive	600	72½	72	72
Am. Loco. pfd.	300	105⅝	105⅛	105⅛
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	14,800	150½	149	149⅝
Am. Smelt. & R. pfd.	400	114	113	113
Am. Sugar Refining	800	132½	131⅝	132⅛
Am. Tob. pfd. cert.	300	96	96	95½
Anaconda Mining Co.	10,200	289¾	287	289½
Atchison	17,300	103⅝	101⅝	103
Atlantic Coast Line	300	133	133	133
Baltimore & Ohio	3,400	119⅝	119	119⅝
Baltimore & Ohio pfd.	100	93	93	92½
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	3,000	80	79⅛	79⅝
Canadian Pacific	3,200	195	193	194⅛
Central of N. J.	....	....	....	215
Chesapeake & Ohio	1,900	56	55½	55⅝
Chi. Great Western	200	17⅝	17⅜	17⅛
Chi. & Northwestern	700	197	194	197
Chi. Mil. & St. Paul	22,300	150¼	148¼	150
Chi. Term. & Trans.	....	....	....	15
Chi. Term. & T. pfd.	....	....	....	34
C. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	....	91
Col. Fuel & Iron	2,500	54⅝	53⅛	53¾
Col. & Southern	300	36	36	36
Col. & Sou. 1st pfd.	....	....	....	67
Col. & Sou. 2d pfd.	1,100	57¼	55¼	57¼
Consolidated Gas	300	137⅝	137¼	137⅛
Corn Products	300	22	21⅞	21⅝
Corn Products pfd.	600	82	82	81⅝
Delaware & Hudson	1,100	223¾	219	222½
Del. Lack. & West.	....	....	....	510
Denver & R. G.	300	41⅝	41⅜	41⅛
Denver & R. G. pfd.	....	....	....	84½
Distillers' Securities	200	84	84⅛	83
Erie	5,800	43	41⅞	43⅛
Erie 1st pfd.	500	75	75	74⅝
Erie 2d pfd.	200	65¼	65	64½
Gen. Electric	1,100	160	157¼	159
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	120
Illinois Central	100	168⅛	168⅛	169
Int. Paper	100	18	18	17⅝
Int. Paper pfd.	300	89⅝	89⅛	88
Int. Pump	300	37⅞	37⅛	37⅛
Int. Pump pfd.	100	89	88¾	88¾
Iowa Central	300	25⅞	25⅝	25⅝
Iowa Central pfd.	100	49¼	49⅛	48½
K. C. Southern	....	....	....	28
K. C. South. pfd.	200	60¼	60	59
Louisville & Nashville	1,300	143⅝	142⅝	143⅝
Mexican Central	1,400	27⅝	27	27⅜
Minn. & St. Louis	200	59¼	59⅛	59⅛
M. S. P. & S. S. M.	700	142⅝	140⅝	142⅛
M. S. P. S. S. M. pfd.	200	167	164½	167
Missouri Pacific	3,000	94¼	93⅝	94
Missouri K. & T.	4,200	41	40⅛	41
Missouri K. & T. pfd.	200	71½	71½	71¼
National Lead	300	72	72	72
Nat. R. R. Mex. pfd.	300	57⅝	57⅝	57½
N. Y. Central	4,600	130⅝	129⅝	130⅛
N. Y. Ont. & West.	100	47⅛	47⅛	46
Norfolk & Western	1,300	92	90⅛	92
Norfolk & West. pfd.	....	....	....	88
North American	100	88⅝	88⅝	88½
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	35
Pennsylvania	29,400	138⅛	137⅛	138⅛
People's Gas	1,600	98¼	97⅝	98
Pitts. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	....	80
Pressed Steel Car	1,000	54	53	53¾
Pressed S. Car pfd.	100	99	99	98
Pullman Palace Car	100	199¼	199¼	199
Reading	218,400	135⅝	132⅞	135
Reading 1st pfd.	....	....	....	89
Reading 2d pfd.	....	....	....	90
Republic Steel	2,000	39	38¾	38⅝
Republic Steel pfd.	500	97	97	96¾
Rock Island Co.	7,300	29⅝	29⅛	29⅝
Rock Island Co. pfd.	100	65	64⅝	64
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	300	47⅝	47	47⅝
St. Louis Southwest	300	25	24⅝	24⅝
St. Louis South. pfd.	300	60	60	59
Southern Pacific	14,000	92⅝	91⅝	92⅛
Southern Pacific pfd.	....	....	....	119½
Southern Railway	3,700	33⅝	32⅝	33⅝
Southern Ry. pfd.	300	94⅛	94	94
Tenn. Coal & Iron	....	....	....	150
Texas & Pacific	1,600	35⅛	34⅛	35⅛
T. St. L. & W.	200	33	32⅝	32⅝
T. St. L. & W. pfd.	300	53⅝	53⅛	53
Union Pacific	88,700	182⅝	181⅝	181⅝
Union Pacific pfd.	200	93	93	92
U. S. Express	....	....	....	112
U. S. Realty	....	....	....	81
U. S. Rubber	1,200	51⅝	51⅛	51⅝
U. S. Rubber pfd.	200	107⅛	107⅛	106½
U. S. Steel	21,300	48⅝	47⅝	48
U. S. Steel pfd.	3,700	104⅛	103⅝	104
Va. Car. Chemical	100	36	36	36
Va. Car. C. pfd.	100	107	107	107
Wabash	700	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
Wabash pfd.	700	39	38⅝	38⅝
Wells-Fargo Ex.	....	....	....	280
Westing. Electric	....	....	....	148
Western Union	....	....	....	85
Wheeling & Lake Erie	....	....	....	16
Wisconsin Central	....	....	....	24½
Wis. Central pfd.	....	....	....	48½
Northern Pacific	61,000	189⅛	184	188⅝
Central Leather	100	34⅝	34⅛	34⅝
Central Leather pfd.	....	....	....	98½
Sloss	200	75	74⅝	74⅝
Great Northern pfd.	20,300	186⅛	182	185⅝
Inter. Metro.	5,400	36⅝	34⅜	35⅝
Inter. Metro. pfd.	200	73⅝	73⅝	73¼

New York Cotton Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Cotton was dull today, trading confined mainly to swapping operations of larger interests, who were transferring committments from January to March and May. Little news, interest seemed to center in January contracts. It seems assured that tenders will be large, but may not be as heavy as the trade expects. Liverpool syndicate, according to rumor, will tender either tomorrow or some succeeding notice day. Movement cotton is heavy owing to rush to fill end month agreements. Ports 44,000. These big receipts mean rush of cotton to fill end of month engagements for exports. It is noticeable that interior receipts are small and stocks are not gaining. Cotton due to open four points down, around 39 for March. Spot cotton unchanged. Middlings 10.55.

Following is range of prices today.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	9.09	9.11	9.02	9.03
March	9.42	9.42	9.32	9.36
May	9.61	9.61	9.53	9.55
July	9.72	9.73	9.63	9.65
December	9.07	9.07	9.00	9.01

Bond List.

U S r 2s reg.	104½	Jap 4s 2d ser.	94½
U S r 2s coup.	105	Jap 4½s cert.	91
U S 3s reg.	102⅝	Jap 4s c 2 dser.	91
U S 3s coup.	102⅝	L & N un 4s	101½
U S o 4s reg.	100⅝	Man c g 4s	98
U S o 4s coup.	101⅝	Mex Cent 4s	84½
U S n 4s reg.	130	Mex C 1st inc.	23⅝
U S n 4s coup.	130	M & St L 4s	90
Am Tob 4s	75⅝	M K & T 4s	98½
Am Tob 6s	108⅝	M K & T 2ds	87½
Atch gen 4s	100⅝	N R M c 4s	88½
Atch adj 4s	93	N Y C g 3½s	92½
A C L 4s	97⅛	N J C g 5s	127⅝
B & O 4s	101½	Nor Pac 4s	103½
B & O 3½s	93	Nor Pac 3s	73½
B R T cv. 4s	91	N & W c 4s	98
C of Ga 5s	109	O S L rfd 4s	94
C of Ga 1st inc.	92	Penn cv 3½s	99⅝
C of Ga 2d inc.	76	Read gen 4s	100
C of Ga 3d inc.	71	S L I M c 5s	113⅝
C & O 4½s	105½	S L & S F fg 4s	86
C & A 3½s	75¾	S L S W c 4s	75⅝
C B Q n 4s	98⅝	S A L 4s	84
C R I P c 4s	76⅝	Sou Pac 4s	91
C R I P c 5s	90⅝	S P 1st 4s cert.	94½
C C C S L g 4s	100⅝	Sou Ry 5s	116
C ind 4s ser A	74	Tex & Pac lsts	117
Col Mid 4s	75	T S L & W 4s	83
Col & Sou 4s	93⅝	Union Pac 4s	103⅝
Cuba 5s	102	U S S 2d 5s	97⅝
D & R G 4s	98⅝	Wab lsts	113⅝
Dis Sec 5s	80	Wab Deb B	75
E prior lien 4s	99	West Md 4s	84½
Erie gn 4s	85	W & L E 4s	87
H Val 4½s	106⅝	Wis Cent 4s	89
Japs nds	97⅝	Jap 4s cert.	82½

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U S Steel	48
Call loans	10@15	U S Steel pfd.	104⅝
Time loans	7@8	Mining—	
Bonds—		Adventure	5¾
Atch adj 4s	91¾	Allouez	38⅝
Atchison 4s	99	Amalg	114¼
Mex Cent 4s	83	Atlantic	14½
Railroads—		Bingham	33
Atchison	102⅝	Cal & Hec.	885
Atchison pfd.	98½	Centennial	46½
Bos & Albany	248	Cop Range	82
Bos & Me	161	Daly West	16
Bos Elev	150	Franklin	24⅝
Fitchburg pfd	135	Granby	13
Mex Cent	27¼	Isle Royale	27
N Y N H & H	190	Mass Mining	8
Pere Marquette	83	Michigan	15⅝
Union Pacific	181	Mohawk	74
Miscellaneous—		Mont C & C	1⅝
Am P Tube	11	Old Dom	53⅝
Am Sugar	132⅛	Osceola	147
Am Sugar pfd.	129	Parrot	29
Am T & Tel	128¼	Quincy	102¼
Am Woolen	36	Shannon	19
Am Woolen pfd.	102	Tamarack	115
Dom I & S	27⅝	Trinity	16⅝
Ed Elec Illum	225	United Copper	70⅝
Mass Elec	17	U S Mining	61
Mass E pfd.	67	U S Oil	9¾
Mass Gas	61⅝	Utah	62
United Fruit	108	Victoria	7½
U Shoe Mach	67½	Winona	12⅝
U Shoe M pfd	28⅝	Wolverine	155

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Money on call 4@11 per cent.; ruling rate 8; closing bid 4 per cent.; offered 4½ per cent. Time loans easier; sixty days 7¼ to 8 per cent.; 90 days 7@7½ per cent.; six months 6@6½. Close—Prime mercantile paper 6@6½; sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.82 7-10@4.82 3-4 for demand and at 4.77 13-20@4.77 7-10 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 4.79@4.78½ and 4.84@4.84½. Commercial bills 4.77½; bar silver 69 3-4. Mexican dollars 53 7-8; government bonds easy; railroad bonds irregular.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund shows—Available cash balance, $233,-816,686; gold coin and bullion, $102,107,235; gold certificates, $54,410,230.

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Metal Market

SILVER

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Bar silver, 69¾.

COPPER

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Copper firm at: Lake, 23.50 to 24.00; electrolytic, 23.25 to 23.75; casting, 23.00 to 23.50.

LEAD

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Lead unchanged at 6.00 to 6.25.

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ARRIVED—THURSDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer Santa Rosa, Capt. Alberts, from San Diego and way ports.

Steamer Windber, Capt. Larsen, twenty-... from Bellingham.

SAILED—THURSDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer Santa Rosa, Capt. Alberts, for San Francisco and way ports.

Steamer Roanoke, Capt. Dunham, for Portland via San Francisco and Eureka.

Steamer Navarro, Capt. Miller, for Puget Sound.

Steamer Phoenix, Capt. Davidson, for Puget Sound, in ballast.

Steamer Sadie, Capt. Johnson, for Umpqua River, in ballast.

IN PORT—THURSDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer El Aguador, S. P. wharf.

Steamer ..., S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Steamer Coquille, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Steamer Chehalis, Salt Lake wharf.

Steamer James Johnson, S. P. wharf.

Steamer Mindora, E. K. Wood wharf.

Steamer A. F. Coats, Salt Lake wharf.

Steamer Alvena, Salt Lake wharf.

Steamer Manila, South. Cal. Wharf.

TO LEAVE—FRIDAY, DEC. 28.

Steamer Columbia, for Puget Sound, in ballast.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Carmel, from Aberdeen.

Steamer Hueneme, from Astoria.

Steamer Admiral, from Mukilteo.

Steamer F. P. Cheney, from Portland.

Steamer General Fairchild, from Bellingham.

Steamer G. ... Burgess, from Port Townsend.

Steamer J. M. Griffith, from Port Townsend.

Steamer Kake Head, from Bellingham.

Steamer Newsboy, from Raymond.

Steamer Lahaina, from Winslow.

Steamer James Tufts, from Bellingham.

Steamer Spokane, from Port Townsend.

Steamer W. F. Witzman, from Aberdeen.

Steamer David Evans, from Everett.

Steamer Fred E. Sanders, from Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Caroline, from Umpqua River.

Steamer Louise, from Umpqua River.

Steamer Fred E. Sanders, from Aberdeen.

Steamer Melrose, from Hoquiam.

Steamer Oliver J. Olsen, from Aberdeen.

Steamer Alex T. Brown, from Ballard.

Steamer Salem, from Olympia.

Steamer Ludlow, from Hoquiam.

Steamer Rosa, from Port Blakeley.

Steamer Admiral, from Everett.

Steamer Soquel, from Olympia.

Steamer Irene, from Astoria.

Steamer William H. Smith from Port Hadlock.

Steamer Nokomis, from Hoquiam.

Steamer J. W. Clise, from Ballard.

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SAILED—THURSDAY, DEC. 27.

Launches Fashion, Orient, J. C. Elliott, Muriel and Nellie, from Long Beach.

... for fishing banks and returned ... to local wholesalers.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

	High.		Low.	
Dec. 28	7:25 a.m.	9:10 p.m.	1:10 a.m.	2:40 p.m.
" 29	8:00 a.m.	9:41 p.m.	1:35 a.m.	3:07 p.m.
" 30	8:36 a.m.	10:10 a.m.	1:57 a.m.	3:32 p.m.
" 31	9:05 a.m.	10:39 p.m.	2:24 a.m.	3:58 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

Weather: Cloudy at 5 p.m.; wind, southwest, 5 miles.

Passenger and freight steamer Bonita, Capt. ..., arrived from San Francisco ... with a miscellaneous cargo ... the Pacific Coast Steamship ...

Steamer Roanoke, Capt. Dunham, sailed on her return trip for Portland via San Francisco and Eureka.

Steamer Sadie, Capt. Johnson, finished discharging lumber cargo and sailed in ballast for the Umpqua River, where she will load a lumber cargo for the Kerckhoff-... Company.

... Lucille has arrived at Astoria and is expected to load a lumber cargo for ...

Steamer Spokane is out two days from ... with a full cargo of lumber ... to wholesalers at this port.

Steamer Mindora, Capt. Larsen, arrived after a long voyage from Bellingham. She brought 900,000 feet of lumber ... E. K. Wood Lumber Company.

Steamers Reed, Capt. Davidson, and Phoenix, Capt. Miller, finished discharging cargoes and sailed today in ... Puget Sound to reload.

Port Los Angeles.

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, DEC. 27.

SAILED—THURSDAY, DEC. 27.

SAILING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

... ship Fannie, Capt. Hallman, 175 days from Newcastle.

... ship Falls of Garry, 12 days from ...

... bark Santa, 3 days from Newcastle.

EASTERN MARKETS.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKET.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Trading in wheat was previous to the posting of the visible supply statistics, but when it ... that the supply, as shown by ..., had decreased 3,300,000 bushels, ... an increase of 2,664,000 last ... commenced to cover. Offerings were not liberal, and this ... condition in the market. ... from the Southwest ... as being more free ... days. The market closed ... at the highest point of the ... a shade higher, at 77 7-8; ... 4 and then advanced to 78 1-4, ... 5-8 to 1-2c net higher. Trading quiet, and prices were firm ... weather throughout the corn ... local receipts were the chief ... The close was firm. May ... at 43 3-8@43¼. The estimate ... that the total crop of oats ... is about 160,000,000 bushels ... announced by the government ... market and a strong close. ... higher, at 36 1-4. Sentiment ... provisions throughout the day. ... of trading was large. At the ... was up 17½ to 27½; lard was ... ribs were up 15c.

Closing. 74⅜ ... 79⅜ ... 41 ... 43⅝@43½ ... 44 ... 34 ... 36¼ ... 33⅝ ...

... were as follows: Flour was ... wheat, 77; No. 3, 71@51; No. 2 corn, 42; No. 2 ...; No. 2 white, 36½; ... No. 2 rye, 61; fair to ...; No. 1 flax seed, 1.13; ... 1.30; prime timothy seed, ... grades, 13.75; short ribs, ...; mess pork, per bbl, ... 9.27½; short clear sides ...; whisky, basis of high ...

Grain Movements.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
	42,400	55,700
	80,000	77,200
	332,900	260,600
	373,300	240,200
	24,000	30,100
	128,800	74,700

New York Metal Market.

... Dec. 27.—There was a sharp ... in London tin market, spot closing ... and futures at £194 10s. Locally ... was weak in consequence, ... at 42.30@42.55. Copper was ... the London market, with spot ... at £108 15s. ... continues firm, and shows ... tendency in spite of the higher ... by prices. Lake, 23.10@ ... 22.25@23.75 and casting at ... was unchanged at 6.00@6.25 ... The London market ... Spelter was higher ... at £28, 2s 6d. Locally ... firm, but unchanged at 6.60 ... was unchanged.

Consolidated at Boston.

... Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] ... opened 23, closed 23½; Arizona opened 169, closed 173; ... opened 53½, closed 54; Shannon ... 18¾; Mexico Consolidated ... opened 17, closed 16½; ... 11, closed 11; Batopilas ... closed 7⅛; Black Mountain ...; Cananea Central opened ...; Greene Gold and Silver ... closed 1 15-16@2; Helvetia, ... and Pittsburgh, opened ...; Arizona Consolidated ... 37; Greene Cananea, ... closed 4⅝; Troy Manhattan ...

California Dried Fruits.

... Dec. 27.—The market for ... shows no fresh features. ... and supplies for future ... offered freely enough to impart ... to the spot market; fancy are ... choice 8 1-4@9½; prime 7 7-8@ ... unchanged, with quotations ... to 9 for California fruit. ... quiet, but prices are firm. ... available supplies; choice are ... choice 17@18; fancy 19@20. ... with choice quoted at 11; ...

extra choice at 13@12 1-4; fancy 12¾@12 3-4. Raisins are in moderate demand, with loose muscatels quoted at 7¼@8¾; seeded raisins 7@10; London layers 1.45@1.55.

Chicago Live Stock Market

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 9000; steady; beeves, 4.00@6.80; cows and heifers, 1.25@5.15; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.60; Texans, 3.75@4.50; westerns, 3.90@5.40; calves, 6.00@8.00. Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; 5@10 lower; mixed and butchers, 6.00@6.37½; good heavy, 6.20@6.35; rough heavy, 5.90@6.10; light, 5.90@6.32½; pigs, 5.50@6.20; bulk, 6.15@6.30. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; strong; sheep, 3.75@5.80; lambs, 4.75@8.00.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Wheat—Spot, firm; options closed ½c net higher; May closed, 84¾; July closed, 83½; December closed, 81⅞. Hops—Quiet; Pacific Coast, 1906 crop, 14@17; Pacific Coast, 1905 crop, 10@14. Wool, petroleum and hides, steady. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 1-16@3 3-32; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 9-16@3 19-32; molasses sugar, 2 13-16.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Sugar—Raw, steady. Fair refining, 3 1-16@3 3-32; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 9-16@3 19-32; molasses sugar, 2 13-16@2 27-32; refined, steady; crushed, 5.50; powdered, 4.90; granulated, 4.80. Coffee, steady; No. 7, Rio, 7¼@7⅞.

Dairy Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—On The Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 22@31; dairies, 20@27; eggs, steady, at mark, cases included, 21@24; firsts, 24; prime firsts, 23; extras, 25; cheese, steady, 13@14.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Close—Wheat, December 74 1-8; May 78 1-4. Corn, December 41; May 43 5-8@43¼. Oats, December 34; May 36 1-4. Rye, cash 64@66. Barley, cash 42@55. Flax, clover and timothy nil.

New York Coffee Futures.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Coffee—Futures closed steady, at a net decline of 5 to 10 points; January, 5.50@5.60; March, 5.75@5.85; May, 5.95@6.00; July, 6.10@6.15; September, 6.25@6.35.

New York Spot Cotton.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Spot cotton closed steady middling uplands 10.85; middling gulf 10.50; sales 25 bales.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—Wool steady; Territory and western mediums, 23@26; fine medium, 14@21; fine, 14@17.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Dec. 27.—Credit balances, 1.58.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.75; common, 50.

Berries—Cranberries, 3.50@10.50.

Oranges—Navels, 1.50@3.00; seedlings, 1.00@2.00.

Mexican limes—3.00@4.00.

Lemons—Common California, 75; fancy, 3.00.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@3.00; pineapples, 2.50@3.50.

Beans—Pink, 1.85@2.15; lima, 4.30@4.40; small white, 2.85@2.95; large white, 2.00@2.35.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.75@2.00; Salinas Burbanks, 1.90@2.25; River Reds, 1.00@1.15; Merced Sweets, 1.75.

Onions—Fancy, 75; common, 65.

Various—Green peas, 10@12; string beans, 15@17½; eggplant, 2.00@2.50; green peppers, 8@10; tomatoes, 1.25@1.50; summer squash, 1.75@2.00; garlic, 3@4; cucumbers, 1.00.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 35; seconds, 26; fancy dairy, 30.

Cheese—Eastern, 17; young America, 15½; western, 18.

Eggs—Ranch, 55; store, 50; eastern, 20@28.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 18@20; roosters, old, 4.00@5.00; roosters, young, 5.50@6.50; broilers, small, 2.50@3.00; broilers, large, 4.00@5.00; fryers, 5.00@6.00; hens, 5.00@7.00; ducks, old, 5.00@6.00; ducks, young, 6.00@7.00; geese, 2.00@3.50; goslings, 2.50@3.00; pigeons, old, 1.00; pigeons, young, 1.50@2.00.

Flour—Family extras, 4.80@5.10; bakers' extras, 4.60@4.75; Oregon and Washington, 3.25@4.00.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.25@1.30; milling, 1.35@1.40.

Barley—Feed, 1.07½@1.11¼; brewing, 1.10@1.15; chevalier, 1.20.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 27.00@30.00; mixed feed, 22.00@25.00; rolled barley, 23.50@25.00; oatmeal, 4.50@4.75; oat groats, 4.75; rolled oats, 7.00@8.00.

Hay—Wheat, 15.00@22.00; wheat and oat, 10.00@17.50; oat, wild, 8.00@13.00; oat, tame, 10.00@16.00; alfalfa, 8.00@12.50; straw, 35@70.

Receipts—Flour, 8850; wheat, 70; barley, 3090; oats, 2904; beans, 500; potatoes, 900; bran, 500; hay, 350; straw, 10; hides, 569; wine, 27,800.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	10	Julia	10
Alpha Con	10	Justice	9
Andes	22	Kentuck Con	4
Belcher	57	Mexican	65
Best & Belcher	150	Occidental Con	69
Bullion	25	Ophir	320
Caledonia	48	Overman	24
Challenge Con	25	Potosi	14
Chollar	20	Savage	115
Confidence	125	Scorpion	10
Con Cal & Va	120	Seg Belcher	12
Con Imperial	3	Sierra Nevada	78
Crown Point	27	Silver Hill	90
Exchequer	64	Union Con	65
Gould & Curry	27	Utah Con	7
Hale & Norcross	98	Yellow Jacket	170

Nevada Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tonopah—Belmont 600; Cash Boy 15; Golden Anchor 42; Home 15; Jim Butler 126; McNamara 70; Midway 230; Montana 290; North Star 42; Ohio 20; Tonopah Extension 562. Goldfield—Adams 18; Atlanta 60; Dixie 13; Goldfield Mining 140; Jumbo 250; Kendall 50; Laguna 135; Mohawk 1350; Red Top 250; Sandstorm 65; St. Ives 84. Manhattan—Manhattan Broncho 21; Manhattan Consolidated 100; Cowboy 13; Dexter 75; Little Joe 6; Manhattan Mining 20; Mustang 20; Pine Nut 31. Bullfrog—Bullfrog Mining 40; Bullfrog National Bank 67; Gold Bar 135; Original Bullfrog 21; Steinway 23; Tramp 100.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Wheat, quiet; May, 1.29½ bid; cash, 1.30. Barley, quiet; May, 1.19; cash, 1.11¼. Corn, quiet; large yellow, 1.35@1.40.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Silver bars 69 3-4; Mexican dollars 54½; drafts, sight par; drafts, telegraph 5.

REAL ESTATE RECORD.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

THURSDAY, Dec. 27, 1906.

W B Judson to F C Sohn, lots 5, 7, 9 and 11, block 21, Mountain View tract, $10.

R Rogers Company to B Holland, lot 16, block 6, Nadeau Park Villa tract, $10.

L N Wisall to P A Gard, lot 8, block 13, Pacific View tract, in Monrovia, $600.

J W Hoover to C Smith, lot 296, Sunnyside Park addition, $350.

C Smith to Bargain Realty Company, lot 296, of same addition, $10.

M Fleming to H C Fisher, part Rancho San Jose, $1.

B B de Duarte to H L Kuns, part of Soto tract, in Rancho San Jose, $10.

H L Kuns to H C Fisher, same property as above, $1.

W Brett to K E Rebentisch, lot 5, Brett and Arnold tract, $10.

J J Gosper to Title Guarantee and Trust Company, lots 1, 2 and 7, block H, W R Norton tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Artesian Water Company, lot E, block 5, and lots C and D, block 6, Jefferson and Fourth Avenue tract, $10.

J Fensky to T C Caale, lot 1, Smith James and James A Gafford's subdivision, $10.

M Frackelton to L Morris, lot 110 and part lot 108, Figueroa Square, $10.

G H Rector to W W Middlecoff, lot 12, of subdivision of land known as block 22½, O R, $10.

Union Trust and Realty Company to C M Jones, reconveyance of trust property.

L J Bireley to W J Pillig, lot 60, of West Adams and Western Avenue tract, $10.

S A Scott to R M Power, lot 21, block 4, Daman & Millard's subdivision of Shaw tract, $10.

R M Power to P W Croake, same, $10.

L C Brand to J Wyvell, lot 14, block 13, Glendale Boulevard tract, $10.

J Wyvell to C L Conner, lots 5, 6, 7, 8, Wyvell's Glendale tract, $10.

M Brown to E G MacKenzie, lot —, W T Dalton Orchard tract, $10.

A P Center to L B Haskell, lot 8, block C, Densmore Villa lots, $1.

Burbank Land and Water Company to A Campbell, lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, block 77, Burbank, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company, trustees, and Miradero Water Company to A Campbell, lots 2, 4, 6, 8, block 77, Burbank, $10.

J Noon to F H McGuire, lots 14 and 17, block C, Estella tract, $10.

G M Horn to M Henger, lot 200, San Dimas, $10.

M Henger to G M Horn, lot 271, same tract, $10.

J M Clute to S M Brown, part lot 9, block 12, Glendale Boulevard tract, $10.

Merchants' Trust Company to Moneta Avenue Water and Lighting Company, lots 154 and 155, Winton & McLeod's Figueroa Street tract, No 5, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company, trustees, to M D Scott, reconveyance of trust property.

The Alamitos Land Company to T M Todd, lot 17, block 71, resubdivision of part of Alamitos Beach townsite, $10.

H W Wilson to A G Ragoss, lot 2, block 18, Electric Railway Homestead Association.

T G Schulze to N M Hopkins, lot 1, block 4, G W Morgan's Sycamore Grove tract, $10.

T H Dudley, trustee, to Summerland Realty Company, lots 1 and 2, block 8, Fountain Glen, No 2, $10.

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Hattie M Hall and Oscar B Hall to Cynthia L Messer, lot 21, Record's subdivision of west ½ of lot 7, block 74, H S, $10.

W A Ravenscroft to J H Brakeman, lot 25, block 1, Strain & Lewis subdivision in Long Beach, $10.

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T I & T Co trustee to Mesa Land Co, reconv of part trust prop lot 2, block 11, West Adams Terrace.

W Devereux to A S Beldin, lot 8, Harbert & Butterworths Adams st tract, $10.

James Co to W G Jennings, lot 8, block 7, Schmitt tract, $10.

M P Phipps to F W Ingalls, tract beg at pt in E line of Lemon ave 726.03 ft S from intersection of S line of S P RR R of W with said E line of Lemon ave as shown on map of sub No 3, of Sunny Slope Estate sd pt of beg being SW corner of land deeded to E Claxton et ux by deed 1117-253 th N 77 deg 15 min E alg S line of sd Claxton land 673.77 ft etc.

G H Ball to J W Stafford, lot 31, block 6, of Thomas Leahys sub of 8th st tract, $10.

S L Briggs to A Bont, lot 23 of Norwood Terrace, $10.

W D Curtis to A D Newton, part lot 14 of Bauer tract, $10.

L M Young to T I & T Co, portion of lot 2, block 7, sub of lots 500 501 502 and 503, Reservoir lands commonly called Woolen Mill tract, $10.

A T Anderson to P Scholz, lot 10, block 2, Williamson tract, $10.

W R Wheat to J McCool, lot 15, block F, Palms, $10.

J W Somerville to E J Cotino, lots 21 and 22, Somerville Place, $10.

E J Cotino to J W Somerville, lots C D E F, Young & Adams Walnut Grove tract, $10.

W H Fleet to E H Wilson, lot 7, block 20, Arlington Hgts, $10.

G E Anderson to S G Moore, lot 10, block D, West Bonnie Brae tract, $10.

J D Richards to N R Wright, lot 1, block C, Dorsey tract, $10.

H W Judson to E E Beazley, part lot 8, Slauson tract, $1.

E Youngs-Carrier to M Nicolay, lot 13, Griffes tract, $10.

L A Trust Co to same, lots 5 and 6, block 3, Suburban Imp Cos Vermont Hgts tract, $10.

M M Higgins to T R Chapman, lot 23 of block 5, Huntington Park, $10.

J A Copeland to C H Horton, part lot 11 of Brown & Newton sub of lots 34 35 36 37 and 38, lands of Mut Or Co, $10.

D L Thomas to C S Nyce, lots 1 and 2, Dr R K Janes sub of SE 1-4 of S ½ of block R, Painter & Ball's add, $10.

M Hoppe to Kirkpatrick Olsen & Co, option to purchase lot 27, block 13, of Wolfskill Or Tract, $17,525.

H O Brooks to M J Brooks, part lot 5, block 12 of Glendale Blvd tract, gift.

J F Nadeau to W W Jones, lots 22 24 27 28 29 30, block E, Nadeau Hstd tract, $10.

N A Bosworth to E M Dennis, lot 24 of Judson tract, $10.

Merchants Tr Co to M Bowers, lot 381, Winton & McLeods Figueroa st tract No 5, $10.

M M Taylor to M F Grogan, lot 6, block 2 of Rezeau tract, $10.

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E S Williamson to T T Dyer, agmt to convey lot 4, block 17 of West Adams Hgts tract, $5000.

G W Harmer to J McCool, lot 14, block F, of Palms, $540.

W Kellaway to B J Wilcomb, lot 3, blk 73, Manhattan Beach trt sub No 2, $10.

J G Scarborough trustee to F McFarland, lot 21, blk 58 of Pasadena Villa trt, $10.

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A D Sinsabaugh to E M Roberts, part blk 274, Maclay Ro Ex Mission de San Fernando, $250.

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Raymond Imp Co to J Irwin, lots 8 to 13 inc, Hardison trt, $10.

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L A Securities Co to E Sawdon, lot 7, blk 61, Redondo Villa trt, $10.

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M E Patterson to J Byrkit, lot 10, blk 1, Glendale, $10.

A L Coleman to M E Hubbell, lot 10, Rose Hill trt, $10.

W J Richardson to A K Rebard, lot 7, blk B, West Sixteenth st trt, $10.

Mesa Land Co to F G Douglas, lot 15, blk 2, West Adams Terrace, $10.

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C A Pattie to F G Douglas, lots 11 and 12, blk 8 of West Adams Terrace trt, $10.

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N Gruber to W W Webster, lot 163, Grider & Dows Adams st trt, $1.

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Redondo Imp Co to J E Martin, lot 29, blk 168, Redondo Beach, $10.

W B Thompson to H C Harper, lot 154, La Mesa trt, $10.

J S Jones to W A Gara, part lot 119 of sub of E 12,000 acres of S ½ of Ro Ex Mission of San Fernando, $10.

M E Barber to L Lord, agmt to convey lot 21, blk B, Riggins Bros sub of part of Grogan trt; part lot 22, Ferry sub of same, $3000.

C Knapp to H M Moody, lot 21, Colorado Villa trt, $10.

J M Brackett to J F Wilson, lot 77, Central add city of Santa Monica, $10.

F P Livengood to E M Ogden, lot D, blk 128, San Monica, $10.

T G & T Co to J T Parker, lot 17, Lewis trt being sub of 5 acres of Grogan trt, $661.

S B Kuhn to G S Thomas, lots 19 and 22, blk MM, Glendora trt, $750.

A W Wright to J M Baldwin, part of lot 5, J E Packard's Orange Grove tract, $3325.

Metropolitan Bank and Trust Company to C H Swallow, part section 27, 2 S, 14 W, $10.

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S Walker to M Robbins, part lots 10, 11 and 12, Monrovia; block AA, addition No 1, City of Monrovia, $700.

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J J Davis to W M Gwinn, lot 6, Coughran tract, $10.

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25c For children's undermuslins worth 35c; drawers, gowns and skirts; 1 to 14 years.

16c For women's drawers or corset covers; soft cambrics with laces and ribbons; worth 25c.

35c For night gowns worth 60c; trimmed with tucks and insertions; high or V-shaped.

55c For petticoats worth 75c; have flounces with tucks and insertions or edgings.

69c For petticoats worth 90c; 10 or 12-inch flounces with lace, edges or embroidery trimming.

79c For corset covers trimmed both front and back with laces, embroideries and ribbons.

25c Corset covers worth to 75c; are 25 different styles; lace and embroidery trimmed.

25c For muslin drawers worth 50c; trimmed with plain hemstitching and laces.

25c Knee length skirts worth 39c; excellent materials; 6-inch flounce and tucks.

$1.69 For gowns worth $2.50; fine effects, fine materials; 3 styles.

$1.69 For fine chemise worth $2.50; trimmed with laces; hemstitched; yoked and deep flounce.

$2.50 For fine lingerie worth $3.50; drawers, corset covers and petticoats.

$1.48 To $10.00 for dainty gowns; made of the finest materials; all styles.

$1.48 To $6.50 for pretty and dainty styles, finest materials; nicely trimmed.

Embroideries : Handkerchiefs

A very large and choice assortment of dainty dress accessories specially priced for the big "White Fair" sale. Many of the items mentioned here are priced at a third less, some a half and others at less than half of the regular values.

EMBROIDERIES WORTH TO 35c AT **15c**
Dainty embroideries and insertions of cambric, Swiss or muslin; come in embossed, Eyelet and shadow effects, in floral and scroll patterns; the widths are to 12 inches; are suitable for flounces, waists, lingerie and children's French dresses or trimmings.

10c For embroidered beading of cambric, Swiss and muslin, floral designs; worth to 25c.

69c For embroidered bands in white and demi-flounces in white, pink or blue batistes, worth to $1.50.

25c For embroideries of Swiss, cambric or muslin; widths to 18 inches; floral and eyelet patterns; worth to 75c.

50c For embroidered demi-flounces of batiste or Swiss; eyelet and embossed floral designs; worth to $1.00.

$1.25 For embroidered allovers; 45 inches wide; floral designs, eyelet and shadow effects; worth to $2.00.

$7.50 For embroidered robes of batiste, India linon or Swiss; semi-made skirts, waists to match; worth to $15.

$1.00 For shirt waist patterns of batiste or Swiss; panel effect front; embroidery or lace trimmed; worth to $2.00.

69c For 72-inch cotton dress nets in white or cream; worth to 85c a yard.

98c For shirt flouncings of India linon or Swiss; 47 inches wide; eyelet and floral patterns; worth to $1.50.

35c For dozen yards of Val edges or insertions, in matched sets or separate edges; worth to 65c.

10c For wash laces of cotton Torchon or Cluny, Point de Paris or Normandy Val; worth to 25c.

10c For Chilton Taffeta ribbon, in widths to No. 60; also Persian effects; worth to 25c.

$1.50 For veils and scarfs of Crepe de Chine, Crepe Chiffon or printed Chiffon; worth to $3.00.

$2.98 For ruffs of silk net, maline, Chiffon or Liberty silk; fancy plaited effects; worth to $5.00.

15c For stocks of Valenciennes lace with folds, or of Point Venice; worth to 35c.

10c For handkerchiefs of linen or Swiss; hand embroidered initial or lace trimmed; worth 15c.

25c For white taffeta ribbons, extra fine; 5 inches wide; worth 50 cents.

25c For wash neckwear, stocks, tabs and collars, of linen, Madras and Swiss; worth to 50c.

5c For handkerchiefs of linen, cambric or Swiss; lace trimmed or embroidered; slightly soiled; worth to 25c.

25c For linen hand drawn collar and cuff sets, worth to 50 cents.

$1.00 for 12-Yd. Pieces English Long Cloth Worth $1.50
Is an excellent quality for general home uses; fine, strong, smooth weave, soft finish, will launder nicely and wear well; full bolts of 12 yards each.

29c for White Oxford Suiting Worth 35c
A very popular weave and a material that is excellent for real hard service; especially desirable for boys' waists or blouse suits; is worth regularly 35c a yard; specially priced for the great "White Fair."

74c for 62-Inch Bleached Damask
Is equal in quality to that for which you would pay a dollar at other stores; is pure Irish damask, full bleached and somes in a choice assortment of floral patterns.

Sheets: Pillow Cases: Towels

50c FOR SEAMLESS SHEETS.
Are full 69x90 inches and finished with 2½-inch hem; are seamless and made to stand the hard usages of laundry.

12½c FOR PILLOW CASES WORTH 15c.
Made of a strong, heavy, durable quality material; have 3-inch hems; are full 45x36 inches in size.

25c FOR DAMASK TOWELS.
Good substantial full bleached damask towels; are all linen; have knotted fringe and are fancy colored.

12½c FOR HUCK TOWELS.
Come in plain white with red borders; are 18x36 inches in size; are nicely hemmed; is a splendid quality.

15c FOR HEMSTITCHED TOWELS.
Are 19x38 inches in size; good quality cotton huck; full bleached, white and hemstitched.

25c FOR HEMSTITCHED TOWELS.
Choice of either hemmed or hemstitched in plain white only with colored borders; are exceptionally good quality huck.

Friday's Shoe Surprises

You need not wait until Saturday to buy the children's shoes, as there is no school today and we have some very special bargains to offer.

$1.50 FOR BOYS' SHOES WORTH TO $2.00
An extra good and very serviceable shoe for the boy who requires footwear for hard usage; are made of good, strong durable calf skin or extra quality vici kid; have extension soles, and are specially priced for Friday; sizes 9 to 2 and 2½ to 5½.

$3.50 FOR MEN'S DRESS SHOES WORTH $4.00
Are made of an extra good quality selected vici kid; have hand welted single soles of genuine oak tanned sole leather are the new "Westover" last; perfect fitting, and is one of the most popular shoes for the conservative dresses; all sizes in the lot.

$1.15 FOR CHILDREN'S SHOES WORTH TO $1.50
A splendid shoe of fine quality Dongola kid, and comes in lace style only; have good solid extension soles, patent tips and spring heels; are a very durable and dressy shoe for children; sizes 8 to 11.

$2.55 FOR WOMEN'S SHOES WORTH TO $5.00
Your choice of glace or patent kid; patent colt, and gun metal calf; come in lace, button and Blucher styles; have turned of welted soles, kid tips, plain dress toes, military or Cuban heels; there are all sizes in the assortment, and many of them are positively $5.00 values.

$1.45 FOR GIRLS' SCHOOL SHOES WORTH $1.75
Made of an excellent quality plump Dongola kid and come in the lace style only; have patent tips, light or medium weight soles, low school heels; are neat fitting lasts; are very durable, and come in sizes 11½ to 2.

Fancy Linen Pieces

69c FOR BATTENBERG PIECES WORTH TO $1.00
Pretty hand made center pieces 18 inches in size; some have linen centers, others are all-over patterns; come in beautiful round or square designs and are extra fine.

19c FOR BATTENBERG DOILIES WORTH 35c
1200 choice genuine Battenberg doilies from which to choose, are 6 inches in size; come in either round or square shape; some are all-over designs, others with linen centers.

10c FOR DRESSER SCARFS WORTH 25c
Are made of a heavy quality plain scrim with pretty cross stitch designs; have nicely finished edges.

10c EACH FOR DOILIES WORTH 20c
Are 16 inches in size, come in round or square shapes; are in cross stitch and beautiful floral patterns; over 500 in the assortment from which to choose.

10c FOR 12-INCH DOILIES WORTH 20c
Made of a fine quality white canvas with finished button-hole edges; over 1000 in the lot; are full 12 inches in size, some in floral designs, others cross stitch pattern.

25c FOR SCARFS AND SHAMS WORTH 50c
A choice assortment of pretty spachtel or Irish Point, cut out work scarfs and shams; come in a great variety of patterns and many values in the lot worth to 50c. THIRD FLOOR.

"White Fair" Sale Lace Curtains

One Thousand Pairs Pretty Curtains, priced at from a fourth to a third below their regular values.

$3.50 FOR IRISH POINT LACE CURTAINS WORTH $5.00
Are an exceptionally fine quality Irish Point lace, and come in a choice assortment of scroll designs; are genuine imported curtains, and specially priced for this great "White Fair."

$4.95 FOR BONNE FEMME CURTAINS WORTH TO $8.50
Beautiful hand-made Bonne Femme and Grand Dame lace curtains; are all in the new panel designs, with deep flounces and ruffles; a choice variety of designs from which to choose.

35c PAIR FOR RUFFLED CURTAINS WORTH 50c
A new lot of very pretty bedroom curtains; are made of a good quality Swiss, 2½ yards long; have deep full ruffles, and specially priced at less than cost of material.

$1.95 FOR RUFFLED CURTAINS WORTH TO $3.00
Are made of a fine quality imported bobbinet lace and finished with deep English lace edges and inserting; are very nice for bed or dining-rooms; many in the lot are worth to $3.00 a pair.

85c FOR PAIR SWISS CURTAINS WORTH TO $1.25
Come in plain patterns, and are made of splendid quality Swiss; have six rows of small tucks, and are finished with hemstitched ruffles; a very choice assortment from which to choose.

98c FOR PAIR SWISS CURTAINS WORTH TO $1.50
Very pretty, and are of splendid material, finished with real Battenberg lace and have deep full hemstitched ruffles.

Suits—Cravenettes

Two special leaders for Friday and in which every woman with a suit or coat want should be interested; the savings are more than a third of the regular value:

TAILORED SUITS WORTH $25 AT

$15 There are 150 suits in this lot, and include some of the best values we have ever offered; tight fitting, fancy eton, blouse and box effects; come in a good assortment of handsome mixtures as well as plain shades.

CRAVENETTES WORTH $22.50 AT

$15 Never a time when you need one of these serviceable garments than now, and never was there a better opportunity to buy it than Friday; you will save $7.00; best quality cravenetted cloth; new shades of gray and tan; trimmed with self box pleats and velvets or braids; close fitting and box styles.
SECOND FLOOR.

50-INCH ALL WOOL BLACK ETAMINES WORTH $1.50 AT **49c**
A special leader for Friday at about one-third the real value; is a beautiful sheer open mesh weave; light weight and an excellent black; made of a fine quality double twisted woolen yarns; is full 50 inches wide and is a regular $1.50 quality; only eight pieces in the lot and specially priced for Friday, while it lasts, at 49c.

$4.98 FOR COW HIDE SUIT CASE WORTH $7.50
The 24-inch size, best quality cow hide, art linen lined; has shirt fold; leather corners, large bell rivets; polished brass lock and catches; four straps in body and lid; no phone orders accepted.
FOURTH FLOOR.

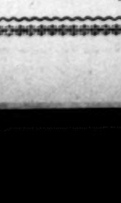
$10.00 FOR AUTOMATIC TRUNKS WORTH $15
The newest and one of the best steel trunks made; the tray lifts automatically when trunk is opened and stays so until top is closed again; are canvas covered and bound with malleable steel; have divided automatic top tray; your choice of three sizes—32, 34 and 36-inch. No phone orders.
FOURTH FLOOR.

"White Fair Sale" Enamelware

Our white enamelware is made of the best quality steel, triple coated with the finest and most durable enamel. Our prices will save you quite a little in your purchase of these necessaries.

White Enameled Water Pails.
75c for 6-quart water pails worth 85c.
95c for 8-quart water pail worth $1.10.
$1.15 for 10-qt. water pail worth $1.25.

White Enameled Chambers.
35c for 8-in. chamber worth 40c.
39c for 9 3-4-inch chamber worth 45c.
49c for 10-inch chamber worth 59c.



White Enameled Coffee Pots.
45c for 1-quart coffee pot worth 50c.
75c for 2-quart coffee pot worth 85c.

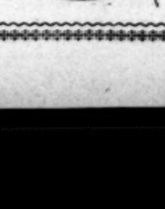
Lipped Sauce Pans, White Enameled.
39c for 2-quart sauce pan worth 45c.
45c for 3-quart sauce pan worth 50c.
65c for 4-quart sauce pan worth 75c.

Wash Basins, White Enameled.
35c for 13½-in. white enameled wash basin worth 40c.
25c for 11-inch white enameled wash basin worth 30c.

Mixing Bowls, White Enameled.
29c for 3-quart mixing bowl worth 35c.
49c for 4-quart mixing bowl worth 55c.
59c for 6-quart mixing bowl worth 65c.

White Enameled Tea Kettles
$1.10 for 4-qt. tea kettle worth $1.20.
$1.29 for 7-qt. tea kettle worth $1.35.

White Enameled Chamber Pails
98c for white enameled chamber pail, with bale, are slightly damaged and worth $1.25.



Pudding Pans, White Enameled
29c for 2-quart pudding pan worth 35c.
35c for 4-quart pudding pan worth 45c.

"White Fair" Chinaware

FOR DINNER SET WORTH $5.00.

$3.90 Consists of 52 pieces; is cottage style and one of the best American semi-vitreous pure white ware; medium weight, nicely embossed and warranted not to craze; has very fine finish.

59c for 10-inch German plaques for decorating, worth 75c.
95c for German china for decorating, worth $1.25.
$1.15 for German china plaque for decorating, worth $1.50.
$1.49 for German china plaque for decorating, worth $1.85.
69c for 10-inch berry bowl for decorating, worth 80c.
15c for After Dinner coffee cups and saucers, worth 20c.
19c for chocolate cups and saucers, worth 27c.
29c for china sugar and cream, worth 35c.
15c for china bone dish, worth 20c.
$1.12 for German china chocolate pots, worth $1.35.
59c for German china bowl, worth 75c.
35c for German china plaque, worth 45c.
75c for German china salad bowl, worth $1.00.
75c for china jardinieres, worth $1.00.
$2.70 for jardinieres, worth $3.75.
10c for German china cake server, worth 15c. THIRD FLOOR.

49c FOR SILK REMNANTS WORTH 75c, $1.00 TO $1.25
On bargain table Friday you will find our entire stock of short lengths of plain and fancy silks, consisting of over 2000 pieces, plain colored Taffetas, Louisenes, Chines, Messalines, satins, fancy plaids, figured and striped silks of all kinds, jacquards, warp prints, Crepes and a good assortment of wash silks; are in widths from 19 to 27 inches; are specially priced for Friday.